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SWITCHMEN ON ST. LOUIS RAILROADS BEGIN STRIKE

SIX GERMANS IN FRANKFORT MOB KILLED BY FRENCH

Two Score in Crowds Wounded When People Jeer Senegalese Troops in Force Occupying City; German Police Aid in Restoring Order.

ALLIED PREMIERS TO DISCUSS OCCUPATION

German Labor Leaders Demand That Berlin Withdraw Government Troops From Ruhr Valley Industrial Area.

By the Associated Press.
LONDON, April 8.—Premier Lloyd George and his Cabinet met today, presumably to discuss the occupation of German cities by the French. The conference of allied powers and foreign ministers which had been arranged for today, has been postponed. It will probably be held tomorrow.

Baron Scholala, Italian Foreign Minister, here for the conference, expressed the opinion to the Associated Press that there was no possibility of the Franco-German situation causing serious differences among the allies.

"Intimation that there is danger of such a situation arising within the councils of France and her former comrades powers are entirely unfounded," he said. "I have every confidence that there is nothing in the present state of affairs that will make it difficult for the allies to reach a common understanding and maintain a solid front."

Germany has been given a week's additional grace for the withdrawal of her troops from the neutral zone, the Evening News today says it understands. This would extend the time to April 17.

In August of last year the Supreme Council consented to a provisional increase of the German gendarmerie troops in the neutral zone beyond the Rhine for three months after the peace treaty should go into effect. It was recognized at the time, it was said, that the force provided for in the treaty was considered inadequate to maintain order. The peace treaty became effective on Jan. 10 and the three months' extension granted expires on April 10.

Rumor That French Troops Are Withdrawing Leads to Clash.

By the Associated Press.
FRANKFORT, Wednesday, April 7.—This afternoon's clash in the Schillerplatz between French troops and the population, resulting in the killing of six Germans and the wounding of some two score others, was followed by a strong display of French military force which brought the restoration of order by the time darkness had set in.

It was a rumor that the French had been forced by the pressure of the allies and the United States to withdraw from the city that started the trouble. The crowd jeered and taunted the troops, yelling "You've got to get out" at the Senegalese, who were patrolling in front of the guard house on the square.

A French officer ordered the crowd to disperse, and when the order was ignored a machine gun was brought into play. Disturbances also occurred in other parts of the city.

The firing attracted a great crowd to the square, including the troops. The French then began to bring up reinforcements, four tanks between solid columns of soldiers rolling in ready for action.

The reinforcements went up the main street toward the scene. Troops with fixed bayonets cleared the way and a rear guard followed, the officers directing the movement from the center of the group. One of the tanks was stationed before the Schillerplatz where Gen. Susbelle and other officers are quartered.

German Police Aid French.

The German police aided in the action taken to restore quiet, quickly stationing groups at strategic points to control the crowds. A French staff officer deplored the happenings in conversation with the correspondent tonight. "The French authorities extremely regret this occurrence," he said.

The earlier part of the day was Continued on Page 3, Column 4.

SHOWERS PROBABLE TONIGHT AND TOMORROW

THE TEMPERATURES.
At 11 a. m. 55. 11 p. m. 52.
At 9 a. m. 54. 9 p. m. 51.
At 7 a. m. 53. 7 p. m. 50.
Highest yesterday, 56 at 4 p. m.; lowest 33 at 8 a. m.

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Unsettled weather tonight and tomorrow, probably with showers; not much change in temperature.

Missouri—Fair in north portion; probably showers in south portion tonight or tomorrow; slightly warmer tonight.

Stage of the river at 7 a. m., 25.9 feet, a rise of .3 of a foot.

JUDGE FARIS ALMOST BRINGS THE WAR TO END

Federal Jurist Remembers in Time, However, and Conflict Is Allowed to Continue.

Judge Faris of the Federal Court today almost put himself and the Federal Court on record as regarding the world war ended, but remembered in time to let the war go on, officially.

He was discussing with attorneys a civil case involving wartime legislation, when he referred to "the recent war." Then he recovered himself. "I ask your pardon, gentlemen," he said, "I should have said the present war." And the war went on.

HUNT GEESSE WITH SEAPLANE

Aviator and Mechanician Arrested by Atlantic City Game Warden.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., April 8.—A flock of geese pursued by a seaplane, from which shots were being fired, 1900 feet in the air, held the attention yesterday of Game Warden P. K. Hilliard. A few minutes later he arrested Kenneth Jaquith, aviator, and his mechanic, Bennet E. Severs, when their plane alighted to pick up a dead goose that had fallen near the warden's rowboat, two miles from shore.

Jaquith, who is said to be the son of a Chicago banker, and the mechanic, each were held in \$200 bail for a hearing later.

EGGS NATIONALIZED IN RUSSIA

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, April 8.—Eggs have been nationalized in Soviet Russia, according to advices to the State Department today from Vior.

On March 2, it was stated, Lenin issued a decree apportioning the number of eggs to be delivered to the State from each section of the country.

W. E. Johnson to Return to U. S.

By the Associated Press.
WATERVILLE, O., April 8.—William E. Johnson, Antislavery League leader who lost an eye in England, is coming back to the United States this month, according to a cablegram received today by E. H. Cherrington, league official.

MAN ARRESTED MANY TIMES FOUND GUILTY OF THEFT

'Bergadine' Miller Convicted of Stealing Silk Valued at \$1000 From Interstate Shipment.

5 OTHER INDICTMENTS AGAINST HIM PENDING

Police Record Shows He Has Been Taken Into Custody 86 Times in Last Five Years.

Ernest Miller, 28 years old, of 1414 Warren street, also known as "Bergadine," was convicted on a felony theft charge for the first time yesterday, though he had been arrested here many times. A jury in the United States District Court found him guilty on a charge of conspiring to steal a case of silk in interstate shipment from the Columbia Transfer Co. warehouse, Broadway and Carr street Sept. 16 last.

Five other indictments charging theft of goods from interstate shipment are still pending against him in the Federal Court.

Though in the last five years Miller was arrested many times in connection with store hold-ups, payroll robberies and gang shootings and was named in confessions made by others his only conviction on a theft charge was in the Court of Criminal Correction April 9, 1914, when he was sentenced to serve 6 months in the workhouse for petty larceny.

The record shows that he was paroled by Judge Miller after serving only six days of this sentence. The conviction was for stealing a skirt from a downtown department store.

On May 16 last he was convicted of felonious wounding in running down Miss Florence Able of 4481 Chippewa street with the automobile, at King's highway and Arsenal street, Aug. 4, 1918. For this he was fined \$100 and sentenced to a year in the workhouse. He fled an appeal, which is still pending.

He pleaded guilty in the Criminal Court May 9 last on a charge of assisting a deadly weapon in a quarrel with William Meyer, a saloon keeper, at 1307 Warren street. He was fined \$100 and costs, which he paid.

Police Record Shows 86 Arrests.

The police record index shows 86 arrests of Miller in the last five years. This index is only to records of cases where arrests were made on specific charges or definite suspicions, and it was said at Police Headquarters that it did not cover the greater portion of Miller's record in that period, as he has been arrested on "general suspicion" many times and there has been a standing order to take him to a police station and question him when he is found driving an automobile.

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PRESIDENT BETTER THAN AT ANY TIME IN LAST 6 MONTHS

Expected to Depart Early in May for Summer White House in Massachusetts.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, April 8.—President Wilson is in better health now than at any time since he became stricken, more than six months ago, and is continuing to improve steadily.

This may be said on the authority of Dr. Cary Grayson, personal physician to the President. Although Dr. Grayson disclaimed any intention of denying persistent rumors that the President had recently "suffered another slight stroke," he intimated that it was proper to make a definite statement.

"The President is at present better off physically than he has been at any time since he became indisposed," said Dr. Grayson.

While Dr. Grayson made no announcement, it is known that the motor rides have been indefinitely discontinued, partly because the President was so much curiously and because Dr. Grayson did not believe the rides during the uncertain weather were conducive of the desired results.

The best information now available is that the President and Mrs. Wilson will depart for Wood's Hole, Mass., early in May.

FORMER ARMY MAJOR ARRESTED HERE ON CHARGE OF PERJURY

First Wife Alleges He Gave False Address to Keep Her Ignorant of Divorce Suit.

Philip J. Kieffer, 33 years old, former Major in the United States army and until recently Adjutant of Camp Pike, Little Rock, Ark., was arrested today at the Alamac Hotel, Fourteenth and Chestnut streets, upon a warrant issued at Pine Bluff, Ark., charging perjury in connection with a divorce obtained on March 27. He was remarried on the same day.

Kieffer said today that his divorce was obtained regularly, and that he willingly would go to Pine Bluff. His first wife is Mrs. Beatrice Kieffer, 15 Ivy Close, Forest Hills, Long Island, N. Y., who declares that in his divorce suit, Kieffer gave her address as Memphis, Tenn., and otherwise made false statements to keep her in ignorance of his suit.

His second wife was Miss Ruth Albright of Little Rock.

ARMY AVIATION REPAIR DEPOT BURNS; LOSS PUT AT \$1,000,000

Several Airplanes, Much Lumber and Building, Destroyed.

By the Associated Press.
DALLAS, Tex., April 8.—Several airplanes, large supplies of lumber, the engine house building and the unloading sheds at the army aviation repair depot, north of Dallas, were destroyed by fire early this morning.

The loss was estimated by army officers at \$1,000,000.

Major-General Leonard Wood to St. Louis recently, the Lowden arrangements were entirely in the hands of the organization Republicans of the city and State. Wood was the guest of the St. Louis Women's Republican Club, the members of which have been for the most part more prominent socially than in politics, while Lowden was the guest of the Republican Women's Club. Committee members, most of whom are largely the choice of the regular, or men's, city committee.

The arrangements were perfected in accordance with Lowden's well known business efficiency ideas, appointments in most cases having been made in advance by correspondence, and everything was on a schedule which would enable Lowden to have the greatest number of political conferences possible with the least wear and trouble, and the social element of the visit was reduced to a negligible minimum.

RIVER BILL BEFORE SENATE

Carries \$20,000,000 for Continuation and Maintenance Work.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, April 8.—The Senate committee on commerce decided this morning to report out a rivers and harbors bill carrying a lump sum appropriation of \$20,000,000 for maintenance of existing projects and for continuation of work on authorized improvements. No new projects were authorized.

The sum proposed is \$5,000,000 more than that provided in the bill which has passed the House. It is \$4,000,000 less than the minimum sought by the army engineers.

LOWDEN DEVOTES MOST OF DAY HERE TO CONFERENCES

Sixteen Missouri Delegates to Republican National Convention Received and Entertained at Luncheon.

CANDIDATE ALSO SEES CITY LEADERS

Governor Will Speak at Dinner Given by Republican Women's Committee Tonight.

Gov. Frank D. Lowden of Illinois, candidate for the Republican nomination for President, devoted the greater part of his visit to St. Louis today to conferences with 16 of the 24 selected Missouri delegates to the Republican national convention, whom he saw at a private political luncheon, and separately or in small groups in his suite at Hotel Statler.

Lowden came to St. Louis on invitation of the Republican Women's City Committee and will speak at a dinner given to him by the committee at the Statler this evening. He is accompanied by Mrs. Lowden. They arrived at Union Station at 8 a. m. from Indianapolis.

Not all the Missouri delegates who have been chosen called on Lowden, but a majority came to St. Louis for that purpose, having been summoned by Jacob L. Babler, national committeeman, and other party leaders who have had charge of the Lowden campaign in Missouri.

Among them were Roy H. Monier of Carrollton and Fred W. Sasse of Brunswick, from the Second District; L. F. de Hart of Cameron and E. H. Lindley of Stannbery, Third District; Robert W. Hadrick of Cole Camp, Seventh; Roy T. Davis of Columbia, Eighth; James Gill of Montgomery and Judge R. A. Breuer of Herman, Ninth; Fred Edden and John Schmoll, Tenth; Nat Goldstein and Mrs. E. E. Babler, Eleventh; Robert E. Moore and Samuel A. Moseley, Twelfth, and Albert Miller of Hillsboro and Carr Harshorn of Elvins, Thirteenth.

Missouri has 32 district delegates and Charles W. Fay, postmaster, who has charge of local arrangements in connection with the Democratic convention, said today the statement of Fred Lynch, Democratic National Committeeman, in Chicago, that a proposal is to be made to remove the convention to Oakland is an "inaccuracy." Fay said arrangements for the convention virtually have been completed. "I cannot conceive of the committee overturning them now," he said.

Oakland has an auditorium in which 15,000 can be accommodated. It includes an arena which seats 10,000, a theater which has the largest stage in the West, and more than 25 committee rooms.

JUGO-SLAVS SAID TO AGREE TO ITALIAN RULE IN FIUME

Triest Reports Agreement on Adriatic Situation by Jugo-Slav Commission.

By the Associated Press.
GENEVA, April 8.—A telegram received at Lugano from Trieste asserts that the Italo-Jugo-Slav Commission which has been in consultation regarding an Adriatic settlement, has reached an agreement concerning the Adriatic ports under which Italy obtains sovereignty over Fiume.

The Jugo-Slavs, under the reported agreement, would receive Suak, the Canale Della Piumara, the Port of Baross and the Port of Volosca. The Port of Abbazia, just to the southwest of Volosca, would remain Italian, with the Jugo-Slavs receiving Scutaria, on the Albanian coast, as compensation.

Gabriele d'Annunzio, the insurgent commander at Fiume, is declared to be strongly against the arrangement.

The report credits Premier Lloyd George as being the author of the settlement proposition, regarding which the opinion of President Wilson was not asked by the allies, it is declared.

ACCUSED GERMAN KILLS SELF

By the Associated Press.
BERLIN, April 8.—Dr. Meyer, who is on the allied extradition list, charged with ill-treating war prisoners, has killed himself at Halle by taking poison, says the Lokal Anzeiger.

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1200 MEMBERS OF INSURGENT UNION GO OUT AT 3 P. M.

Railroad Managers Admit Situation Is Serious—Cannot Grant Wage Demands Because of Esch-Cummins Act—Embargo on Express.

Switchmen in various railroad yards of the St. Louis terminal district walked out at 3 o'clock this afternoon, following demands presented in the forenoon for largely increased wages, which railroad officials said they could not grant.

Officials of the St. Louis District Yardmen's Association, an insurgent organization, which called the walkout, declared that they expected about 5000 employees, out of a total of 6000, to join in it, and announced that the early reports to the organization headquarters were to the effect that the men were going out as generally as had been expected. The switchmen are endeavoring to take the switch engineers and firemen out with them.

The first men to go out were those in the eight-hour shift due to begin work at 3 p. m. and working until 11. When the men of the 7 a. m. shift quit at 3, the 3 o'clock men were not there to take their places, and in many cases the switching and handling of trains had to stop. This happened in the East St. Louis yards and at various points in St. Louis.

Situation Is Serious.

The railroad managers made no attempt to minimize the seriousness of the situation. They said it was possible that the switchmen's insurgent organization had as large a strength as it claimed. A statement was issued after a conference of the railroad officials in Missouri Pacific headquarters, setting forth the railroads' position. It was declared that the men's demands could not be met, because of the restrictions of the Esch-Cummins act, under which the railroads are still under Federal supervision until December, and under existing agreements with the railroad brotherhood, of which the switchmen are members, though they are at present in the position of bolting members.

Railroad officials announced at 3:40 that 1200 switchmen of the Terminal Association, on both sides of the river, including Wiggins Ferry Line employees, walked out, but that the locomotive engineers and firemen were still at work.

When it was definitely reported at the Terminal Association offices that none of the 3 o'clock shift had reported for work, a number of officials of the Terminal departed for the yards to do switching duty themselves. Among them were Ira L. Burlingame, general manager of the Terminal Association; W. E. McGarry, assistant general manager; A. S. Johnson, assistant general manager; Edward Wiggins Ferry Co.; Charles Burlingame, and J. A. Mathewson, superintendent; J. P. Maher, chief clerk in the general manager's office; five train masters; J. H. Boyer, J. M. Perry, William W. Johnson, H. Brown and E. G. Yehling, Edward Chalmers, superintendent of car service; Victor Steinberg, paymaster, and Henry Schmittgens Jr., chief claim agent.

These men were divided into switching crews, with one of the number in charge of each crew. It was said that if the engine crews and tower men remained on duty, the officials would be able to keep traffic moving for a short time, at least. It was said that the afternoon suburban trains probably would go out on schedule time.

Perishable Freight in Yards.

Officials said that there was a large amount of perishable freight in cars in the yards, including much food, such as fresh vegetables, which would have to be moved immediately if it was to be saved. Sixty carloads of cattle, consigned to the National Stockyards, were moved to their destination just before the walkout began.

The men spoke of their action not as a strike, but as "refusal to pay," said W. G. Douthett, secretary of the St. Louis District Yardmen's Association. "So far as we are concerned, we don't know that."

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Begin This Story Next Sunday "Her Only Husband"

By Fannie Heaslip Lea.

The amusing story of a young wife who loved her husband and who knew that he loved her though he was too busy building a fortune for her to show it in the usual ways. So, on her first visit home, she sent her first flowers and candies and gifts because "her folks" expected a devoted husband to do that very thing and he never even thought of it. Odd complications followed with odd results, to say nothing of the important lesson the busy husband learned.

Another of the great series of two stories a week by fiction headliners of today in the Post-Dispatch.

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Today, on the Women's Page THE LITTLE GRAY BOOK

By E. Phillips Oppenheim

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OTHER OFFICIALS WHOSE RELATIVES ARE ON PAYROLL

Circuit Clerk Goldstein Employs His Granddaughter and Also a Niece of Mayor Kiel.

CITY HALL CONDITIONS IN SEVERAL OFFICES

City Marshal Mohrstadt's Brother Has Fund of \$7000 to Pay for Catching Dogs at 75 Cents Each.

Following the disclosure that 13 city hall officials have 23 relatives on the city's payroll, drawing a total of \$47,792 a year from the city, as told in yesterday's Post-Dispatch, the inquiry was carried to other city buildings, where it was found that similar conditions exist with regard to other city officials.

It was found, furthermore, that city hall officials have still other relatives on the payroll, in addition to those named yesterday. Mayor Kiel, for instance, in addition to his cousin Charles H. Dues, who gets \$8000 a year as head of the Law Department, and his son, Clarence, who gets \$450 a day as an inspector in the Street Department, also has a niece, Mrs. Helen Lauer, who is a clerk in Circuit Clerk Goldstein's office at a salary of \$100 a month.

Other Relatives Cited.
Arthur Bader, son of Herman Bader, clerk of the Circuit Court for Criminal Causes, is Associate City Counselor at a salary of \$3500 a year, which will be increased to \$3600 in a bill which has been approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. Herman Bader's salary is \$5000 a year.

Alderman William Tamme of the Sixth Ward, in addition to having a son in the Water Department at a salary of \$110 a month, has a nephew, Charles E. Welek, who is inspector in the Health Department at \$50.60 a month.

A. P. Niederluecke, a nephew of Alderman August Niederluecke, and a cousin of Alderman William Niederluecke, is an inspector in the Water Department at \$90 a month.

Goldstein More Modest.
In the courthouse Circuit Clerk Goldstein has been more modest than some other officials in the matter of providing his relatives with jobs. His granddaughter, Thelma Goldstein, a stenographer, who gets \$100 a month, is the only relative, apparently, that he has on the payroll.

On the other hand, he has furnished employment for five relatives of other officials, in addition to giving jobs to five fellow members of the Republican City Committee, and a son of another member. These 12 persons, including his granddaughter, draw a total of \$21,720 a year from the city. His own salary is \$5000 a year.

The five Republican City Committee members are outroom clerks, and get \$175 a month each. They are: Louis Becker, Eighth Ward; Elmer Moore, Twelfth Ward; Gabriel Roth, Fifth Ward; Gustav Oetting, Second Ward; Robert Moore, Sixteenth Ward, and George Meisinger Jr., son of the Tenth Ward Committee member, who gets \$125 a month as a Deputy Clerk.

Municipal Courts Jobs.
Republican city committeemen also flourish at the Municipal Courts Building. John E. Johnson of the Twenty-fifth Ward is a deputy in the office of Ferd Knittel, Clerk of the Court of Criminal Correction, at \$150 a month, and Tony Schuler of the Sixth Ward and Walter Bishop of the Third are deputies in the office of City Marshal Mohrstadt, at \$122 a month each.

There are among the Republican city committeemen of whom, 20 out of 28 hold city jobs at salaries totaling \$74,470 a year, as has been told. The names, positions and salaries of these committeemen have been printed in the Post-Dispatch.

City Marshal Mohrstadt also has appointed his brother, Oscar F., as superintendent of the city dog pound, a position for which the city last year appropriated \$7000. However, Mohrstadt pays his own expenses, including the salaries of three dogcatchers, out of this. He does not receive the flat sum of \$7000, but gets 75 cents for each dog. Sometimes the amount appropriated is not sufficient, and then the city makes a supplemental appropriation to fill out the deficit.

Health Department Employees.
Harry Folkner, whose wife is a sister of Health Commissioner Starkloff's wife, is a sanitary officer in the Health Department at a salary of \$107 a month. Mrs. Lillian Matthews, who is Mrs. Starkloff's sister, also is employed in the office of the city chemist at a salary of \$110 a month. Both of them, however, held these jobs before Health Commissioner Starkloff was appointed.

DISORDERLY AERIAL DRIVING
By the Associated Press.
LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 8.—What is believed to be the first warlike aerial driving was waged here today against Omar Locklear, former army aviator. The warrant charges Locklear disturbed the peace by "unlawful and offensive conduct" in looping the loop yesterday a few feet above the trees in a downtown Los Angeles neighborhood.

Illinois Governor and Wife Photographed in St. Louis, Where They Are Guests for Day of Woman Republicans



GOV. and MRS. FRANK O. LOWDEN.

GOV. LOWDEN TO SPEAK TONIGHT AT DINNER OF WOMEN'S COMMITTEE

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voted to Republicans from in the State. They called to report on Lowden conditions in their districts and nearly all, if not all of them, made favorable reports.

The organization Republicans have controlled all of the 12 congressional district conventions which have chosen delegates to the national convention and all of these 24 delegates are considered certain for Lowden, though none is instructed. Only four districts are yet to hold conventions, the Fourth, Fifth, Twelfth and Sixteenth. The delegates to elect Lowden delegates. Wood is supposed to have the advantage in the Fifth, and the Fourth is in doubt.

Among the out-of-town Republicans in addition to the delegates here because of the Lowden victory are Chairman Cole of the State Committee, Walter S. Dickey, treasurer of the State Committee; Arthur M. Hyde, candidate for the nomination for Governor; E. L. Morse of Excelsior Springs, Joseph E. Black of Richmond, Polite Elvins of Evans, former State Senator Holmes Hall of Sedalia, State Senator Loren E. Seneker of Mount Vernon, Dr. Ed F. Browne of Edina, and F. W. Hukriedt of Warrenton, former chairman of the State Committee.

Mrs. J. M. Hutchinson, chairman of the Women's Republican City Committee, headed the delegation which met Gov. and Mrs. Lowden at the station. Mrs. A. H. Bruggerman, member of the Women's National Republican Committee for Missouri, Mrs. Fletcher Dobyns of Chicago, head of the Women's Lowden Organization, Mrs. Fannie Honner Price and Mrs. Harry Polman, were in the reception party.

Men Take Governor.
Mayor Kiel, City Chairman Schmoll and National Committeeman Babler were also in the reception party, and they took charge of Gov. Lowden, while the women gave their attention chiefly to Mrs. Lowden.

Although Mrs. Lowden is a member of the Pullman family, the Governor did not have a special car in his journey here from Indianapolis. Chairman Schmoll commented on this, contrasting it with the fact that Gen. Wood is at present touring the State in a special car. The Pullman car in which the Governor and Mrs. Lowden were passengers was well forward, and the Reception Committee became somewhat entangled with baggage trucks as they moved along the platform.

The Governor, although not an infrequent visitor to St. Louis, did not seem acquainted with the Mayor and Schmoll, who had to introduce themselves, but he had met Robert Moore, who is a representative of the Sixteenth Ward Republicans, with "Hullo, Bobby!"

Wanted a Shave First.
At the Twentieth street entrance of the station, Gov. Lowden was not at first inclined to pose for a photograph, saying he wanted to get breakfast and be shaved first, but Mayor Kiel persuaded him that he looked quite presentable. "Get nearer to Mrs. Lowden," the Mayor urged him, "and the photographer requests." "Act as if you two were acquainted." Whereupon they did. The Governor, when asked about the political situation, said his thoughts on the subject would keep until after breakfast.

After breakfast, which he had privately with Mrs. Lowden, the Governor was still disinclined to discuss politics. In fact, he refused to talk for publication about the Michigan primary or the political situation here.

He was willing to talk of the high cost of living, expressing the opinion that production must be increased and consumption decreased to bring down the high prices. He said he did not believe wages would be reduced until prices were lowered.

Mrs. Lowden wore a brown traveling suit and brown hat. A luncheon for her was arranged by the women for the same hour at which the Governor dined with the men politicians.

Gov. and Mrs. Lowden were seen

SPIRITUALIST, THOUGHT TO BE DEAD, RETURNS TO LIFE

Woman, 72, Revives and Is Said to Have Told of Seeing Late Husband.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
IRONTON, O., April 8.—Four hours after the attending physician had pronounced her dead, Mrs. Elizabeth Blake, 72 years old, of Corvill, a spiritualist medium, started relatives and friends by returning to life, according to statements of persons who were in the house. She was weak today, and is not expected to live 24 hours.

Mrs. Blake talked little, but she is quoted as having whispered that she had seen her husband, who died last November. The aged spiritualist was stricken with pneumonia several days ago, and at noon yesterday death pangs overcame her. No sign of a heart beat could be detected, and rigor mortis set in. Relatives and friends flocked in the house, an undertaker was summoned and the newspapers were provided with an obituary.

Shortly after 4 o'clock persons in the room where the supposed corpse was lying experienced a shock upon feeling that the woman's eyes had opened and a pink tinge was suffusing her cheeks. Restorative measures were applied, and Mrs. Blake recognized those at the bedside.

Mrs. Blake has frequently declared that she first became aware of her spiritual powers when she was 10 years old.

NAVAL CAMPAIGNERS STAGE BOXING MATCH IN STREET

Twelfth and Olive to Be Scene of Bout Tomorrow and Saturday, Veterans Announce.

A four-round boxing bout was held at the noon hour today at Twelfth and Olive streets as part of a program to call attention to the campaign of the Naval Veterans' Association for a fund to erect a memorial club building and statue. The boxers were John Ricks, 15 years old, and his brother, Harry, 17, who are in the 110-pound class. It was announced that four bouts will take place at the same place tomorrow and four on Saturday.

"The Galloping Goose," a horse rigged fore and aft with masts, wireless antennae, steering gear and a rope ladder, was "christened" prior to the boxing when a bottle of beverage was broken over the horse's hoof. The "skipper," M. S. Clement, then piloted the "Goose" through the downtown streets.

BODIES OF 87 SOLDIERS ARRIVE FROM ENGLAND

By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, April 8.—The transport Nanamond, first American funeral ship from Europe, arrived here early today with the bodies of 87 soldiers who died in base hospitals in England during the war.

Relatives and friends of the dead assembled at the dock to receive the flag-draped coffins. It was planned to send all of the bodies to their final resting places during the day. A large attendance is expected at the dinner, which is to begin at 6:30 p. m. Prominent Republicans from various parts of the State are expected to be present.

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MAN ARRESTED 469 TIMES IS CONVICTED OF THEFT PLOT

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after dark or when he cannot give a satisfactory account of himself. Arrests of this kind and on police court charges are not on the index. Miller says he has kept count of the arrests and that the number is 469.

John Hanrahan, Henry George Bunning and William Kamp, indicted with Miller, were used to drive about in Kirell's automobile and called for his wife at a hotel at Eighteenth and Market street. The woman was taken to her home.

"As we were leaving a cafe," Bunch said, "I suggested that I be permitted to drive as I never drank and knew all makes of cars. My wife sat beside me in the front seat. Kirell and Lewis were in the tonneau.

Tried to Avoid Collision.
"I was proceeding under Lewis' direction slowly south in Tenth street when at the corner a street car came west from the west at about 27 miles an hour. I was not going more than 10 miles an hour. I averted sharply east in an endeavor to avoid collision by running alongside the car, but it struck us. The automobile was dragged about 80 feet before the street car was stopped."

L. H. Meier, 37, 411A De Tonty street, motorman of the street car, who also was arrested, said that he slowed down and shut off power at Tenth street and had just put on the power again when the automobile appeared too quickly to avoid collision.

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The front trucks of the street car left the track after the collision. The automobile was not overturned but it was crushed in and its passengers caught in the debris.

IRISH PICKETS ARRESTED
AGAIN AT BRITISH EMBASSY
Are Taken Into Custody on Charge of Violating a Federal Statute.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, April 8.—Irish pickets appeared at the British Embassy again today and were promptly arrested by the police on charges of violating a Federal statute.

Beating banners inscribed with quotations said to be taken from a recent speech by Secretary Coghly, the Irish pickets yesterday transferred their activities from the British Embassy to the State Department.

During the busiest hour of the afternoon, the pickets presented to the gaze of homebound persons, banners bearing the quoted inscriptions:

"There is not even a scintilla of legality in England's claim to rule Ireland."

"The death of your martyrs has called into existence millions of Irish by principle."

"I cannot stand by, mute and passive, while these votive offerings are laid upon the altar of patriotism."

The banner bearers said the statements attributed to Secretary Coghly were taken from his address at Carnegie Hall, New York, May 14, 1916. At the end of an hour the pickets withdrew to their headquarters. A squad of police appeared as soon as the banners were erected but no effort was made to interfere with the picketing.

THREE INJURED WHEN STREET CAR HITS AUTO

Machine Wrecked in Early Morning Crash at Tenth and Olive Streets.

Three persons were injured today at 12:46 a. m. in a collision between an eastbound Delmar-Olive street car and an automobile at Tenth and Olive streets. They are:

Benjamin H. Kirell, 30 years old, 4131 Westminster place, owner of the automobile, fractured neck, scalp wounds, internal injuries. Condition critical.

Mrs. Fauna Bunch, 25, Byars, Ok. out over right eye, other cuts and bruises and internal injuries.

Benjamin Lewis, 31, 4131 Westminster place, a salesman for an oil company of which Circuit Judge Vital W. Garache is president, fractured right leg, cuts and bruises.

Visitor Driving Auto.
Thomas Bunch, 29, an automobile salesman of Bars, Ok., who was driving the car, was slightly bruised. He was kept a prisoner at police headquarters last night and today said that he and his wife came to St. Louis yesterday morning on a pleasure trip and that as he was walking about the downtown last night he met a woman whom he had known in Texas and who introduced him to Kirell and Lewis. They invited him to ride about in Kirell's automobile and called for his wife at a hotel at Eighteenth and Market street. The woman was taken to her home.

"As we were leaving a cafe," Bunch said, "I suggested that I be permitted to drive as I never drank and knew all makes of cars. My wife sat beside me in the front seat. Kirell and Lewis were in the tonneau.

Tried to Avoid Collision.
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FAMOUS PLAYERS' CORPORATION
BUYS KOPLAR THEATER GROUP
Fifteen Moving Picture Houses Will Be Taken Over By New Owners Sunday.

The 15 moving picture theaters owned or controlled by the Consolidated Theaters Co. and known as the Koplar group, have been acquired by the Famous Players-Misouri Corporation, which also has obtained control of the Del Monte Theater, now being erected on Delmar boulevard west of Clara avenue. The purchasing corporation is capitalized at \$2,000,000 and is the Missouri branch of the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation of New York.

The Consolidated Theaters, which have been taken over, are the Kings, Pershing, Shenandoah, Junata, Grand-Floresant, Lindell, Royal, Arco, Cherokee, Gravois, Lafayette, Novelty, Maffitt, Montgomery and Lowell. They will be under the new management beginning next Sunday.

Terms of the purchase and the amount of the consideration have not been disclosed.

Officers of the Missouri Famous Players Co. are Frederick L. Cornell, a St. Louis lawyer, president, and Arthur S. Friend and John C. Flinn, both of New York, vice presidents. Flinn will be in charge of the operation of the St. Louis houses.

Adolph Zukor, head of the Famous Players-Lasky corporation, is chairman of the board of directors of the Missouri company.

ROBBERS BIND 3 MEN IN BAKERY, GET \$805

Put Noose Over Head of Owner and Threaten Him for Not Disclosing Cash.

Threats of hanging and shooting failed to make George Duenswig, a baker of 2015 Salisbury street, disclose the hiding place of the firm's funds to three robbers last night, but his fortitude was vain, because the robbers found the money, \$750, despite him.

Duenswig's partner, Walter Nicholas, and an assistant, Gus Vogelweid, were working at the ovens at 10 o'clock, and Duenswig was sleeping on the second floor. Three men entered with revolvers and handcuffs and Vogelweid stood in a corner while they bound, pulled and while with rags which they took from their pockets. When they had them trussed up like a pair of mummies, they pushed them over and left them in the floor.

Noose Put Over Man's Neck.
"Where's the other fellow?" the leader demanded, and Nicholas told him. Leaving one robber to guard the two prisoners, the other two robbers proceeded upstairs, where they awakened Duenswig, and demanded that he tell them where the money was. Duenswig insisted that there was none. One of the robbers took \$30 from Duenswig's trousers, that were lying on a chair, and he also took Duenswig's belt, made a noose by slipping one end through the buckle, and placed it over Duenswig's neck.

"I have no money," Duenswig said. "The process was repeated several times. Duenswig resolutely repeating that there was no money, until finally, in great disgust, the robbers marched him downstairs, and tied him up with the others."

The two men then returned to the second floor, and their search uncovered a tin box containing \$700 and a \$50 Liberty Bond. The box was locked, but the robbers opened it with a can opener. They also found \$25.30 in the cash register, and, taking the total of \$805.50, they departed.

During their visit, they paid no attention to Vogelweid, who was sitting in a chair, and he said that he had \$100 in his pocket, which was not taken.

ST. LOUISAN KILLED IN KENTUCKY
G. B. Anderson's Neck Broken in Auto Collision.
Special to the Post-Dispatch.
ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 8.—George B. Anderson, 22 years old, of St. Louis, representative of the Trammel Creek Oil and Gas Co., was killed last night in a collision between two automobiles two miles east of here. His neck was broken. He was a son of R. B. Anderson of St. Louis.

THE "BAYER CROSS"
ON GENUINE ASPIRIN

"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" to be genuine must be marked with the safety "Bayer Cross." Always buy an unbroken Bayer package which contains proper directions to safely relieve Headache, Toothache, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cold and Pain. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents at drug stores—larger packages also. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monocetis-salicylic acid of Salzeislad.

Perfect Glasses
Prices Reasonable
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Columbia New York Apr. 23

Cassidara New York Apr. 24

Mauretania New York Apr. 25

K. A. Victoria New York Apr. 26

Sponsor for Bonus System in Stockyards Says Plan Is Failure

By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, April 8.—JUDGE SAMUEL A. SCHUELER, sponsor for the bonus system for stockyards workers, declared to be a failure after he had acted as arbiter, this week in the latest yards wage dispute.

He said: "Workingmen do not seem to regard the bonus as part of their pay, and I honestly believe the employers do not get credit for all the money they pay out. If you ask one of the men from the yards how much he gets an hour he will tell you, but won't refer to the bonus."

Dennis Lane, international secretary of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butchers, said that the bonus looks like charity.

CHIEF WRITES TO THEATER MEN
ON OBJECTIONABLE ADVERTISING

Conference Called for April 15 to Discuss Unwisely and Disapproved Advertising.

Joseph Pennell, dean of American theaters, who recently criticized indiscriminate outdoor advertising, will find little to complain of in St. Louis if the wishes of Chief of Police O'Brien are carried out.

In a letter to theater managers, requesting them to call at his office at 10 a. m. April 15, the Chief calls attention to the promiscuous posting of show bills and posters on vacant buildings and fences. The Chief said he had received numerous complaints not only about advertising in objectionable places, but also about the placing of objectionable advertisements. There is a city ordinance dealing with the situation, he said.

"I do not believe it ought to be necessary to institute prosecutions under the ordinance in order to suppress this evil," the Chief said in his letter, "but am confident that the managers of our theaters and picture shows and other places of amusement, through a sense of civic pride, are willing to co-operate voluntarily with the Police Department in eliminating this manner of bringing various attractions to the attention of the public."

Asked to amplify his statement in the letter Chief O'Brien said that on several occasions he had noted where objectionable signs in theaters had been censured by the morality squad lithographs describing the act were left on fences and vacant buildings in all sections of the city.

The Chief said that if the theater men will co-operate with his department the evil will be soon abolished. If they do not, he said, prosecutions will be brought.

FRENCH MARINE STRIKE BEGUN
By the Associated Press.
PARIS, April 8.—A strike of maritime workers has been ordered by the Marine Union in all the ports of France. The strike is already in effect at Marseilles and Dunkirk.

CONTRIBUTIONS LIMITED TO \$100.
Britton said that the contributions to the club in Missouri would be limited to \$100, and that the club's books would be open to inspection by interested persons at any time.

Capt. Kenneth D. Hequemour, connected with the Hoover national headquarters in New York, attended the meeting yesterday. He said Hoover Republican clubs have been organized in more than 30 states.

MONROE 7-DAY
Non-Stop
RUN
Watch Thermometer for daily tabulated results. Forth day and still going.

MONDAY
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Added Gas—37 gals.
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Can You See?

Perfect vision is assured through our scientific system of optometry. The right glasses at the right price.

Special \$2.50 Special
SHIRLEY FRAME GLASSES
Either eyes or spectacles fitted with deep color lenses.
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DR. ARTHUR W. COCKEY
Optometrist, Optician.

Goldman & Coquet
Jewelry & Optical Co
609 Locust St.

JACKSON BARNETT AND WIFE REQUIRED TO GO TO OKLAHOMA

Order in Wealthy Indian's Case Entered by Agreement With His Guardian.
By the Associated Press.
WINTERFIELD, Kan., April 8.—Jackson Barnett, wealthy Creek Indian, and his wife are required to return to their former home at Henryetta, Ok., in an order issued yesterday by Judge A. M. Jackson, special commissioner appointed by the State Supreme Court.

The order was issued by agreement of counsel for Barnett and his wife and for Carl J. O'Hornett, Barnett's former guardian, as the result of a hearing on O'Hornett's petition for a writ of habeas corpus asking that Barnett be returned to his guardianship.

Under the provisions of the order O'Hornett is required to furnish the couple with money from Barnett's funds, sufficient to meet their living expenses. No proceedings are to be begun or other action taken that will in any way interfere with their marriage relations. The hearing was continued to May 31. Jurisdiction of the Kansas Court was retained.

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Opposite Statler Hotel
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**REDUCE THE HIGH COST OF LIVING!
DINE HERE**

Whole Live Baby Lobster 85c Whole Fresh Pompano 85c
Fresh Frog Legs 65c

NO CABARET
Best Dance Orchestra in the City

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You wouldn't eat impure food or drink contaminated water. Why take chances with your apparel? Clothes "just cleaned" often come back laden with germs. Send your garments to the STAR, where they'll be sterilized—absolutely sanitary. Special attention to out-of-town orders.

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NINE-HOUR DEBATE BEGUN ON HOUSE PEACE RESOLUTION

Rule to Limit Discussion Adopted 213 to 155, Seven Democrats Voting With the Majority.

**VOTE ON PASSAGE
LATE TOMORROW**

Democrats Brand Proposal as Attempted Invasion of Treaty-Making Powers of Executive.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, April 8.—Adoption of the Republican peace resolution tomorrow by the House was indicated today when the rule limiting debate on the measure to nine hours was adopted, with some Democrats joining the Republicans in supporting it. The vote was 213 to 155.

Immediately afterward the debate on the resolution itself was opened. It will continue until 5 p. m. tomorrow, when a vote on the resolution is expected.

Seven Democrats voted for the rule, while one Republican, Representative Fuller of Massachusetts, voted against it. The Democrats joining with the Republican majority were Caldwell, New York; Evans, Nevada; Galtier, and Olney, Massachusetts; Sherwood, Ohio, and Ganley and Goldfogle, Massachusetts. Declaring that the war with Germany should assert the fact, Chairman Campbell of the Rules Committee opened the fight for adoption of the joint resolution declaring the state of war at an end. The galleries were crowded at the beginning of the debate.

The first phase of the battle began on presentation of the special rules limiting debate to nine hours. Two hours were allowed for discussion of the rule, the vote on which will give the first test of strength.

The House met an hour earlier to begin the debate, and Representative Campbell began a prepared address, urging not only adoption of the rule but also of the resolution as soon as the roll call was concluded.

Campbell said the people were weary by a year and a half of life under a state of war no longer exists. Labor, industry, business and commerce are all impatient to resume a status under the laws and conditions that pertain to peace.

It is the duty of Congress to withdraw from the war. He added that grave domestic questions made the proposed action imperative.

"The war is over," he declared. "That is known by everyone. Congress is therefore within its rights in declaring a state of war no longer exists. Labor, industry, business and commerce are all impatient to resume a status under the laws and conditions that pertain to peace. It is the duty of Congress to withdraw from the war. He added that grave domestic questions made the proposed action imperative."

"No one has suggested a possible justification or excuse for resuming a state of war with Germany or for continuing war powers in the President. He is left with the utmost freedom to negotiate a treaty with the advice and consent of the Senate. As provided in the plain terms of the Constitution."

Majority and minority reports on the proposed resolution were made by Senator Knox, Republican, Pennsylvania, at the close of the first phase of the treaty fight in the Senate. The House resolution, however, is the first serious attempt to pass such a measure in either branch and it marks also the first entry of the House into the general treaty fight in more than an oratorical way.

There appears to be complete confidence among Republican leaders that the resolution will be adopted, substantially by a party division of the House. What its fate may be in the Senate, however, where it must also be adopted before it can go to the President for action, is not so clear to these chieftains. Nor will they hazard any prophecies as to what vote could be assembled to repeat it over a presidential veto, freely predicted by Democrats, should the resolution reach the White House.

JOHN T. DAVIS ARRESTED FOR DRIVING ON WRONG SIDE OF CAR

John T. Davis, retired capitalist, of 47 Portland place, was arrested by Traffic Policeman Sopp at Seventh and Locust streets at 11:15 o'clock this morning, after he had driven his runabout past an east-bound Hodiamb car on the left side instead of the right.

According to the policeman, Davis demanded to know what was the difference between passing a street car and an ash cart, and on the way to the Central Police Station, whither Sopp rode in Davis' car, asked directions regarding the traffic regulations, of which he declared the patrolman knew nothing.

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Bought from the swiftest homes in the West End.
Halters, \$2.50; Trousers, \$2.50; Sack Coats, \$2.50; Tuxedo, \$1.50; Full Dress, \$1.50; Soldier's Suits, \$1.50.

Palm Beach Suits, \$4

Buy 'em now—clothing still cheap.

WEST DELMAR. Open till 8 P. M.

Friday Bargains

\$1.75 Gauntlets

White strap wrist Chamoisette Gloves, with soft, long cuff; extra special.

Jenny & Gentle

BROADWAY & MORGAN ST.

\$1 Silk Gloves

Nearly 1000 pairs of fine tricot silk, double-tip gloves; black or white. Special for Friday, pair.

Wash Goods

25c Calicoes, 19c
3000 yards neat Printed Calicoes; white, blue, navy, green, etc., in dots, stripes and figures, in great variety; full pleated; cut as you want; per yard.

30c Gingham 19c
Best quality Apron Gingham; in red, blue, green, fast colors; special, yard.

39c Percales, 29c
And linen-finish Suitings; 32 in. wide; all solid colors; in black, navy, green, pink, red, tan, etc.; 2000 yards at per yard.

39c Cretonnes
Yard-wide Printed Cretonne, with elegant printed floral patterns; mill remnants; yard.

50c Cheviots 39c
Indigo dye; fast color; all weaves; stripes and checks; per yard.

New Spring SUITS

\$19.98 \$24.98

A Positive Saving From \$10 to \$15 on Each Garment

Manufacturers' stock bought at less than half regular price. Many St. Louis women have learned that this is the store to buy your new suit, because you get the best quality, the newest styles—a large variety, good service and the most for your money.

\$15 Dresses
Silk Failles; all colors and sizes... \$7.98

Sport, Polo Coats
Velours, silver-tones, checks and other materials; values up to \$45... \$18.98

45c Longcloth

36 inches wide; entirely free from starch; remnants; per yard.

30c Sheetting

Fine unbleached Sea Island cotton; 38 in. wide; remnants; per yard.

25c Towels

Hemmed huck; size 17x32; mill seconds; each (Base ment)...

35c Muslin

Bleached Muslins and Cambrics; fine quality; mostly yard-wide; mill remnants; mused or soiled; per yard.

Children's Koveralls

Children's Koveralls; assorted colors; nothing better for play suits; special, each

\$2 Petticoats

Women's Petticoats; made of seersucker; neat patterns; special, each

\$2.00 Gowns

Women's Muslin Gowns, lar and extra sizes; ea...

\$1.39, \$1.69 Silk Poplin

Clean-up sale of dress and skirt lengths left from Easter selling; yard-wide lustrous Silk and Lisle

\$2.00 Silk Pongee

33 inches wide, all-silk tan Pongee; thoroughly washable and splendid for wear; extra special; a yard...

\$1.50 Shepherd Checks

54 inches wide, woven Check Suiting; neat black and white; a yard...

Boys' \$13.98 Suits

Fine blue serge, tweeds and mixtures; latest styles; patch pockets; pants lined; ages 7 to 17 years.

Closing out odd lots of Boys' Suits

Suits at... \$6.98 \$8.98

Pants Caps

Fine Wool Pants, in fancy wool mixtures and stripes; a pair at 50c; all sizes, priced at

Men's and Boys' Caps

Men's and Boys' Caps, plain color; a pair at 50c; all sizes, priced at

Bargains for Friday Wall Paper

30-in. plain Oatmeal Papers; most all colors; regular 20c grade; per roll.

After-Easter Clearance Sale of SHAPES

\$1.00 and \$1.69

Shapes are Sailors, Off Face, Turbans, Poles, Side Turns, etc.; black and colors. Values \$2.35 to \$2.85.

Girls' \$3.98 Hats
Fine Milans and Japs; trimmed with band, bow and streamers... \$1.98

55 Banded Hats
In Milans and Japs; braided; popular new straight sailors... \$2.00

\$2.50 Curtains

Nottingham Lace Curtains, 24 yards long; white or ecru; overlooked edge; pair

\$3.50 Lace Curtains

Flirt and Scotch Net Curtains, 24 yards long; white or ecru; novelty effects; pair

\$2.69

75c Marquisette

White or ecru; hemstitched and fancy borders; marquisette for long or short curtains; per yard...

After-Easter Special Shoe Clean-Up

Real style, quality and service assured in every pair. As for values—incomparable.

In this sale we include many of our higher grades. Choice of Oxford, Two-Tone, Pump and Colonial. In the lot are patent, Bull and Kid leathers, with Louis or military heels; special at \$5.95

Tan, Calf, Colonial

Women's House Slippers

One and two strap kid-style Juliette, and black canvas strap styles, priced from

\$1.69 to \$2.95

Girls' Canvas Oxford

White English lace Oxfords, sizes 11 1/2 to 2, \$1.69; \$1.50 to 11 1/2... \$1.39

Men's Scout Shoes

Special clean-up of men's tan Scout Shoes; \$4 values at... \$2.95

\$2 Silk Bags

We have just received a big shipment of Silk Bags intended for Easter selling. This has been a wonderful selling number with us this season but this shipment arrived late and to sell quick we have cut the price. Fine Silk Moire Bags with handsome embossed French gray frame, chain handle, silk tassel and mirror. Extra special at

Women's Black Hosiery

Women's Black Hose; reinforced heels and toes; worth 25c; a bargain; Friday special; per pair.

Fiber Hose

Women's Fiber Hose, in colors only; have little top; reinforced heels and toes; values to \$1.25; pair...

Women's Union Suits

Women's ribbed Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless; made of fine quality yarn; 79c

Children's \$1.00 Union Suits

Children's Union Suits; built for service and comfort; each

\$1.69 Four-Yard-Wide Cork Linoleum

Largest display of four-yard-wide genuine Cork Linoleum shown in St. Louis; beautiful patterns to choose from; Armstrong's Rubber and Felt's make; regular price, \$1.69; sale price, square yard, \$1.29 and...

Congoleum, 9x12, \$10.95

Extra special Gold Seal Brand Congoleum Squares, size 9x12; elegant patterns to choose from; beautiful colors—blue, brown, gray, tan, etc.; suitable as a rug for any room of the house; only

Neponset

Large variety of patterns; cut from roll as many yards as desired; has war-finished back, making it 100% waterproof; square yard...

Texoleum

One solid car Texoleum Waterproof Floorcovering, direct from the mill; large variety of patterns; cut from roll; subject to slight variation in pattern; square yard...

Cotton Mattress

Covered in good quality air ticking; neatly tufted; finished with box edge; every mattress is made in compliance with the sanitary laws of the south; all sizes...

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Big Reductions on All

SUITS!

EVERY SUIT IN THE HOUSE SACRIFICED

Choice of any Suit that heretofore sold at \$30, \$32.50 and \$35, in this sale tomorrow at

\$19.75

Choice of any Suit that heretofore sold at \$40.00, \$45.00 and \$47.50, in this sale tomorrow at

\$25

Choice of any Suit that we previously sold at \$49.75 to \$65.00, in this sale tomorrow at

\$30

You women and misses who have not already purchased a Spring Suit, DON'T MISS THIS SALE TOMORROW. We are sacrificing every Suit in the house, regardless of style and quality. We must make room for our fast-arriving Summer stocks, and that is why we are compelled to sell quickly every Suit remaining in the house.

ALL COATS SACRIFICED!

Choice of any Coat that previously sold at \$22.50 to \$27.50—in this sale tomorrow at

\$13.95

Coats Worth Up to \$40

This includes our finest Coats, many have silk linings, all new materials

\$18.75

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Choice of Dresses that previously sold at \$21.75 to \$29.75, in this sale tomorrow at

\$14.75

Choice of Dresses that formerly sold at \$30.00 to \$40.00—in this sale at

\$19.75

EXTRA SIZE DRESSES for stout women—size from 40 to 48—in this sale tomorrow.

CHOICE OF 100 GEORGETTE WAISTS \$2.98

Beaded and embroidered Georgette Waists, all new Spring and Summer colors, short or long sleeve models—while 100 less tomorrow morning from 9 to 1 o'clock, choice at

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Cancer Expert Dead at 90.
WINCHESTER, Ind., April 8.—Dr.
Jemimah A. Proctor, 90 years old,
well known throughout the country

for his success in the treatment of
cancer, is dead at his home in Union
City. He practiced medicine almost
to the day of his death.

"The New Store" Stewart's On Sixth Street—Bet. Locust and St. Charles



Save Nearly 1/2 in
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We consider it a merchandising feat
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ADMIRAL WILSON TESTIFIES NAVY WAS PREPARED AND ENTERED WAR WITH ENERGY

Commander-in-Chief of Atlantic Fleet Says
Plans Were Complete to Combat Any Of-
fensive Germans Might Attempt.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The ves-
sels on the active list of the navy
were never better prepared for war
than when the United States joined
the allies and the Navy Department
had "full and complete" plans to
combat a German offensive against
the coasts of the United States. Ad-
miral H. B. Wilson today told the
Senate Committee investigating the
Navy Department's conduct of the
world war.

Replying to criticisms in the let-
ter from Rear Admiral Sims to Sec-
retary Daniels that caused the inves-
tigation, Admiral Wilson asserted
that "from the moment war was de-
clared the entire navy—the depart-
ment as well as the fleet—entered
into the prosecution of the war with
the greatest energy, and its accom-
plishments deserve the commenda-
tion of the nation."

Admiral Wilson, now Commander
in Chief of the Atlantic fleet, com-
manded the patrol force that first
protected waters adjacent to the
United States and later, based on
Brest, France, co-operated in pro-
tecting allied convoys in the war
zone and hunting U-boats.

Conferences Within Four Days.
Within four days after the coun-
try entered the war representatives
of the allied admiralities were in con-
ference with Secretary Daniels and
naval officers in Washington, out-
lining the means by which the most
effective assistance could be rendered
by this country, the witness said.

So far as he knew, Admiral Wil-
son said, every suggestion or propo-
sition put forward by the allied offi-
cials was promptly agreed to and
efficiently carried out. The fact that
the greater part of the American
army was transported over 3,000
miles of water without a life being
lost through efforts of the enemy,
testified to the success of this co-
operation, the Admiral said.

"Our naval forces from the start
co-operated in a most successful
manner, saving untold life and
property."

Mistakes the navy made during
the war were so "relatively unimpor-
tant that they were hardly worth
considering in comparison with its
achievements," the witness said.

"No nation upon the approach of
war has had a force of battleships
more nearly prepared for battle than
was the force to which I was at-
tached and which spent the winter
of 1916-17 in Southern waters," Ad-
miral Wilson testified. "I feel sure
that if this force had engaged the
enemy on its cruise north in the
spring of 1917 the victory would have
been ours."

Morale Declared High.
Morale in the service was high at
that time, the officer said, and the
active fleet prepared for any emer-
gency.

"I fully believe that both repre-
sentatives (those of France and
Great Britain), felt that they had
successfully accomplished their mis-
sion; that they were more than
pleased with their reception by the
Secretary of the Navy, and were es-
pecially impressed with the hearty
manner in which the responsible of-
ficers of the Navy Department had
shown the desire to co-operate, and
thus further the cause against the
common enemy," declared Admiral
Wilson.

The Admiral read a long state-
ment he prepared in August, 1918,
for members of the House Naval
Committee then in France, and to
show the degree of American co-op-
eration with the allies at the time,
and its success.

Asked by Chairman Hale, what
the American fleet could have done
had the German fleet broken
through the British line during the
war, the Admiral said: "We would
have given it a pretty good drub-
bing."

"What vessels we had were in as
good conditions in April, 1917, as the
British fleet was in August, 1914,"
he said.

**SIMS WAS "VERY
INDISCREET," SAYS
ADMIRAL RODMAN**

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Admiral
Hugh C. Rodman, commander-in-
chief of the Pacific fleet, told the
Senate Investigating Committee that
Rear Admiral Sims' letter to Secre-
tary Daniels criticizing the navy's
part in the war was "very indiscreet."
"Admiral Sims' indiscretions," he
said yesterday, "lay very particularly
in his breach of confidence in making
public an intimate and confidential
conversation which should have been
held secret."

The witness referred to Sims' testi-
mony that Admiral Benson told him
"not to let the British pull the wool
over your eyes. We would as soon
fight them as the Germans."

"Had Admiral Sims' letter been
less indiscreet," Admiral Rodman
said, "had he omitted reference to
conversations, which he should have
held secret and confidential, had it
been couched in moderate terms,
such as are usually used in official
correspondence, had it been less an-
tagonistic, it would, no doubt, have
followed the usual course of such
communications, received due con-
sideration by the proper authorities
and doubtless some good would have
come from it."

"His mention and the subsequent
publication of certain admonition
which he states he received prior to
his departure for London no doubt
has had its effect upon the cordial
relations which heretofore existed
between us and one of our closest al-
lies. In every expression of opinion
which I have heard concerning it,
both in and out of the navy, it has re-
ceived the deepest censure."
Declaring that he appeared entire-

successful and victorious conclusion.
Admiral Sims' status abroad was
largely one of liaison officer, the wit-
ness declared.

"His title as 'commanding United
(Continued on Next Page.)"

States naval forces in European wa-
ters is partly misleading," said Rod-
man. "He was in reality a subordi-
nate part of naval operations, with
(Continued on Next Page.)"

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XENIA SEMINARY TO MOVE TO ST. LOUIS

Xenia Theological Seminary of the United Presbyterian Church, at present located at Xenia, O., will be moved to St. Louis, this decision having been reached yesterday in Chicago, where a meeting of trustees of the institution was held.

Dr. D. C. MacLeod of Central Presbyterian Church and Rev. Dr. H. H. McConnell of the First Presbyterian Church attended the meeting and presented the claims of St. Louis. Two other cities, Denver, Colo., and Ames, Ia., appeared as competitors, the Iowa city being represented by a delegation of eight ministers and laymen.

Speaks of Probable Site.
Dr. McConnell said several sites are under consideration, but the most probable is that of Lenox Hall, a school for girls, at Washington and Trinity avenues, University City, this school having under consideration a plan to obtain a site farther west in St. Louis County. There are two buildings at Lenox Hall, one used for school purposes and the other for a dormitory, affording accommodations for 80 students.

The present enrollment of Xenia Seminary is about 75. This is, however, the lowest in some time, and it is believed that with its more central location in St. Louis the enrollment will be greatly increased next year.

Xenia Seminary has been established for many years and two local Presbyterian pastors, Rev. A. M. Campbell, now retired, former pastor of the Third United Presbyterian Church, and Rev. A. R. Paul of Gilson Heights Presbyterian Church, are alumni of it.

Another Noted Alumni.
The presidents of each of the four United Presbyterian colleges in the United States are also graduates of the institution, and also those of two theological seminaries, Dr. Joseph Kyle, president of Xenia Seminary, being himself an alumnus.

No guarantee fund was asked, although business men of Denver voluntarily proffered a fund of \$50,000 to the seminary. The district represented by the synods which support Xenia Seminary extends from Ohio to Colorado and a wide territory from which students may register is thus afforded.

ADMIRAL WILSON SAYS NAVY WAS PREPARED AND WILLING TO FIGHT

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His office in London. He did not personally direct the movements of our fighting ships in the war zone, as the public so generally has believed. "In spite of what Admiral Sims may think, unqualifiedly the only place for the direction and administration of the navy's policy was in Washington."

Defends Work of Navy.
Admiral Sims, the witness continued, rendered "most conspicuous and valuable service to the navy during the war," but the "whole responsibility" of winning the war was not placed upon his shoulders.

The witness declared that the "initiative that prompted this public investigation is velled under a smoke screen of words, and 'I can't for the life of me see but that it will discredit the work of the navy in this war, which I know has been most creditable.'"

Referring to Sims' statement that the navy was unprepared in 1917, Rodman said that never in his nearly 45 years of service had he seen "such preparedness and efficiency as obtained in our battleship fleet at the beginning of and during the war."

Sims' criticism that the American battleships sent to reinforce the grand fleet were not "homogeneous" was made, Rodman said, with full knowledge of the fact that the coal-burning vessels had to be sent because oil was not available. The witness described the service of the American battleships with the grand fleet and declared the American unit received nothing but the highest praise from the officers of the British fleet. "The American squadron was fully equal to any of the grand fleet," he said.

"Let me say, with the deepest sincerity, that no one could have had more cordial relations in every sense of the word that those which existed between Admiral Sims and myself in the war zone," continued Rodman. "I regret exceedingly for the sake of the navy's reputation, that it was through his instrumentality, directly or indirectly, that this investigation was instituted, with the resultant publicity; but I hope some ultimate good may be obtained."

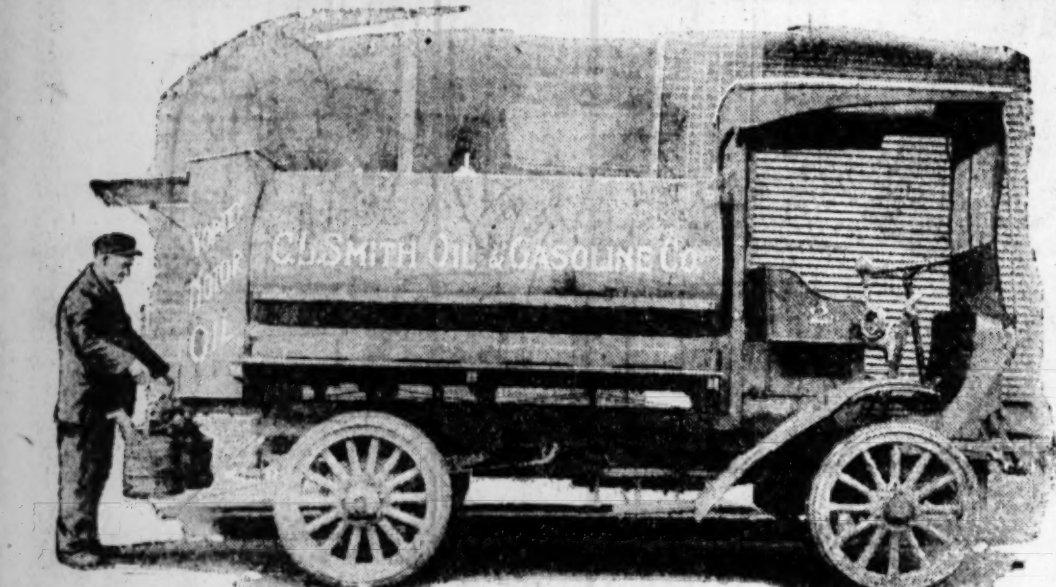
Means of Attack Decried.
"The navy doubtless made mistakes during the war, but the methods and means which have been employed in attacking it will of necessity leave prejudice in the minds of those who are not familiar with the navy and its organization."

"After the Spanish-American war we had the 'Sampson-Schley controversy, which directly or indirectly detracted from the well-deserved reputation of the navy. And now we have the so-called Sims' controversy, or investigation, which does the same thing, regardless of what the navy accomplished."

On cross-examination Rodman declared that the Navy Department, contrary to Sims' testimony, had a very complete plan for war with any country in April, 1917.

Replying to Chairman Hale, the witness characterized as "ridiculous" Sims' statement that lack of American co-operation with the allies during the first six months of the war prolonged hostilities four months and cost 500,000 lives and a huge sum of money.

"There is an old proverb that there are three kinds of lies—lies, damn lies and statistics," said the Admiral. "This statement I consider to fall in the latter class."



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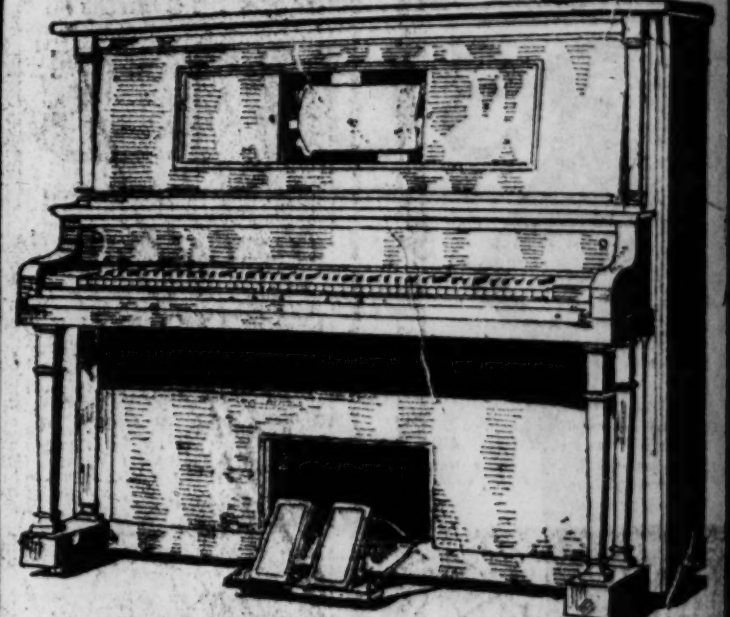
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Tells Deputy to Take Away Papers in Divorce Action When They Fall to Ground.

Mrs. Elizabeth Louise Babler, whom Jacob L. Babler, vice president of the International Life Insurance Co. and member for Missouri of the Republican National Committee, yesterday sued for divorce, later in the day tried to evade service in the suit at her home, Oak Manor, St. Louis County.

Deputy Sheriff Albert Lill, who went to the Babler home shortly after 6 p. m., saw Mrs. Babler approaching in an automobile and he jumped on the running board of the car. When he showed her the papers in the divorce suit and told her that it was his duty to give them to her, she demanded that he get off the machine, and as the car stopped she put out her hand and brushed the papers out of his hand, then entered the house without having taken them. He left the papers on the ground, after Mrs. Babler had demanded that he pick them up and take them away.

Charges Demands for Money.

In his petition Babler charges that Mrs. Babler, although possessing property of the value of \$400,000 or more, demanded of him at intervals large sums of money and harassed him upon his refusal. The petition further charges:

"She has threatened to vexatiously institute suits against him, and to injure him in his business and political standing by giving publicity to false and unwarranted statements, representations and demands."

"She has an ungovernable temper, and on numerous occasions has abused and humiliated him, and is quarrelsome and disagreeable in all her relations with him, and does not treat him with respect or consideration."

"In her efforts to compel him to yield and submit to her wrongful and unreasonable demands, she has circulated and published among his business and political friends and acquaintances false statements and representations concerning him and his treatment of her."

Married in 1915.

Mrs. Babler formerly was Mrs. Charles R. Dilworth of New York. At the time of her marriage to Babler, in 1915, she had been a widow for 5 years. Babler after his marriage, purchased Josephine Court at Oakland Station, St. Louis County, a 26-room house on a 25-acre tract, renaming it Oak Manor.

He and his wife separated on March 29, the petition states. Babler since has been living at a downtown hotel.

A reporter sought Mrs. Babler today in the office of her attorney, W. B. Thompson, in the Merchants-Laclede building. Thompson said that upon his advice, Mrs. Babler would refuse any statement.

Mrs. Babler today filed suit in Circuit Court at Clayton to cancel an agreement she made with her husband in May, 1919, by which she surrendered a promissory note for \$1,400 signed by Babler and Wilson Massey, president of the International Life Insurance Co., for money which she declares she had loaned to him in 1917.

She declares in her suit that she was intimidated into surrendering the note by her husband, who told her that he would bring suit against her for \$100,000 and would bring prosecution against her on a charge of association with other men. She declares that these allegations were false, but that Babler caused her great fear by telling her that she would be fined heavily and might be imprisoned. Consequently, she says she signed the agreement to surrender the note. She also declares that Oak Manor was purchased by Babler with her money before their marriage and that subsequent to their marriage he gave her a quitclaim deed to the property in his favor.

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Special to the Post-Dispatch.
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Naumburg asserts that rabbit skins (necessary in the manufacture of hats) that sold for 36 cents a pound in London in 1919, now are selling for \$7.20. Says he: "No one regrets more than the hat manufacturers the necessity of advancing again and again the prices of hats to the American public. But they are powerless in the face of conditions."

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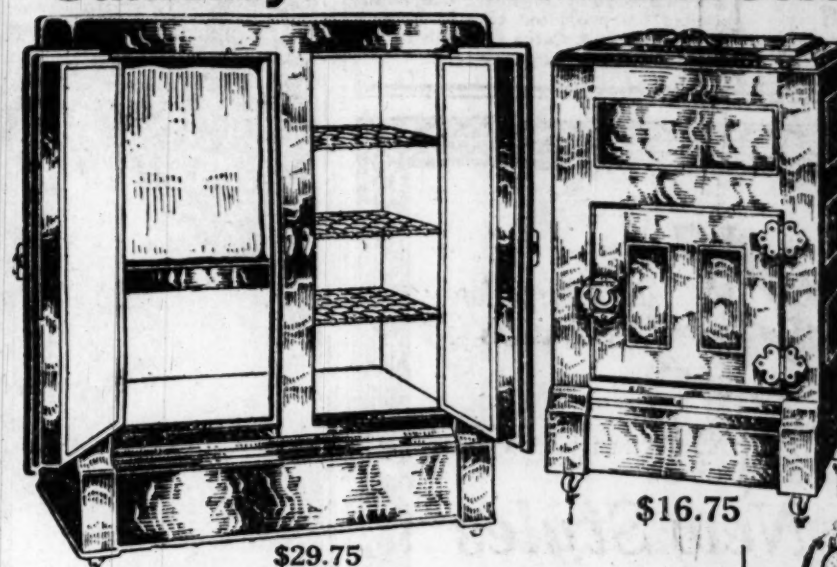
When the doctor went to his cellar yesterday he found it bare of liquor. The stock stolen included four five-gallon jugs of whiskey, a 48-quart case of champagne and a 16-gallon cask of wine.

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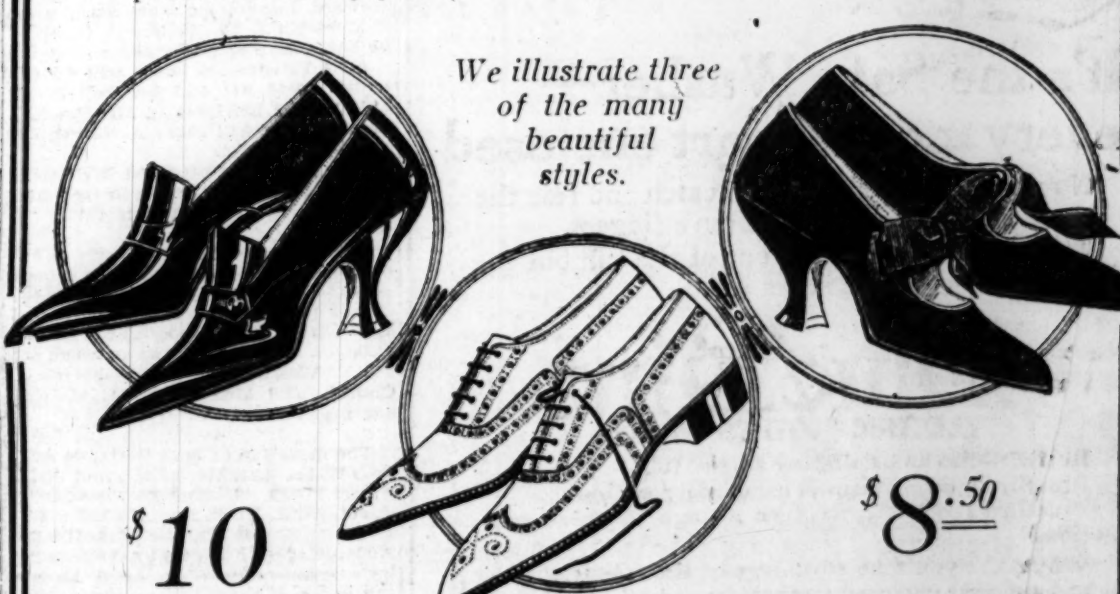
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American Minister on Way Home.
The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Hugh Campbell White, secretary of legation, American Minister to Poland, is in charge during his absence.

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CLEMENCEAU TO GO HOME SOON

Illness Causes Cancellation of Trip to Athens.
LONDON, April 8.—Owing to failing health, M. Clemenceau, the former French Premier, has abandoned his projected trip to Athens, according to a Cairo dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co.

SHE BECOMES BRIDE
OF CAVALRY OFFICER

The marriage of Miss Mary I. McDermott to Lieut. George S. Warren, United States Cavalry, is of interest in St. Louis, where the bride is widely known for her personality, for her civic and social service activities, as a public speaker on suffrage and social problems and as a newspaper writer. She is connected with well known families, the Orricks, McDermotts, Irwins and others. She is a granddaughter of the late Rev. Dr. Irwin of Lindenwood College, St. Charles, and a daughter of Mrs. Mary Irwin McDermott of Lenox Hall. She is a graduate of the University of Missouri, Benton Law School and other institutions of learning.

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Social Items
Miss Muriel Clemens, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. Ross Clemens of Pershing avenue, was hostess today at a bridge tea in compliment to Miss Mary S. Norvell of New York, who is visiting relatives here.

The marriage of Miss Louise Friedman, daughter of Mrs. Cecelia Friedman, 4343 Lindell boulevard, and Charles Eugene Swartz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Swartz, 5539 Clemens, will be quietly solemnized this evening at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Ella Swab, 4398 Westminster place. Dr. Thurman will perform the ceremony at 8 o'clock and a reception for relatives and close friends will follow.

The bride will have Mrs. Walter Hamilton of Manitowish, Wis., and Mrs. Simon Frank as attendants and Howard Heydon of New York and Samuel Kuhn of Cincinnati, O., will be best man and groomsmen.

Miss Friedman's gown will be of embroidered net and her veil is of old lace, an heirloom in Mr. Swartz's family. She will carry a shower of white sweet peas.

Miss Friedman attended Wellesley College and Mr. Swartz received his education at Missouri University.

Mrs. Clarence Robbins of 5739 Clemens avenue will give a musical at Vandervoort's music hall at 2:45 o'clock Saturday afternoon, April 10. She will be assisted by John Haik, violinist; W. M. Jenkins, organist of the Westminster Presbyterian Church, and Mrs. Frank A. Habis, accompanist.

The marriage of Miss Gertrude Arlyne Weiss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Weiss, 441 East Eighty-fourth street, New York, to Harold W. Rederer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rederer of 5933 Enright avenue, will be solemnized Sunday, April 11, at the home of the bride's parents, the Rev. Dr. Nathan Krass officiating.

After a six months' trip through the West the couple will reside in New York.

Mrs. T. A. Meyersburg, who has been spending the winter in Florida, arrived home yesterday. She is at the Washington Hotel.

One of the interesting booths of the Charity Bazaar for the benefit of the Protestant Orphan Home, will be the Children's Booth of which Mrs. Edward Eibemeyer is in charge. Among those assisting her are Misses Fred Herman, Herbert Misch, John Howard, Emil Harna, Edgar Adams and Harold Schreiber, and Misses

Army Wrieden, Julia Kobusch, Mildred Luedinghaus, Gertrude Meinholtz, Hilda Hanpeter, Jennie Obermeyer, Marion Straub, Estelle Elze-meyer, Mildred Wunderlich, Edna Thies and Clara Hesse. The bazaar will be held at Moolah Temple, April 8, 9 and 10.

Lieutenant Commander and Mrs. John A. Byrne, who are visiting at the home of Mrs. Byrne's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Duffy, 5892 Bartmer avenue, are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a son. Commander Byrne, who is here on a 10 days' leave of absence, is attached to the U. S. S. Michigan, at present at Philadelphia. The infant has not yet been named.

Commander Byrne was third officer on the George Washington during the trips of President Wilson and the King of Belgium between the United States and Europe. King Albert bestowed upon him the Order of Leopold.

**LIVING PICTURES FEATURE
AT THE BOARD WALK TODAY**
The Atlantic Board Walk fete and bazaar for the benefit of teachers' salary endowment funds for Smith College, Bryn Mawr and Washington University continues to draw crowds at the College.

For this afternoon and evening, the fourth day of the show, several feature attractions will be offered. One of these will be the inauguration of living pictures at the perfume shop, where young women will pose in fanciful costumes representing the powder puff, the lip stick, the eyebrow pencil and other toilet accessories. Hereafter these pictures will be a daily feature at 3 p. m. and 9 p. m.

The visit of Gov. Lowden of Illinois and Mrs. Lowden to the Board Walk this afternoon is expected to prove an attraction to many. Tonight's principal amusement feature will be boxing matches, in which Harry Kabanoff and Kid Reagan will give exhibitions with sparring partners. A tea dance at 4 p. m. is one of the attractions planned for today.

**For Cleaning
Tapestry Furniture**

You'll be surprised just how well H&H really does take away spots, stains and dirt from the finest tapestry or upholstery of all kinds. That "eye-catching" spot you tried so hard to remove vanishes instantly by applying the creamy lather of H&H—then wiping it off.

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Your own friends can tell you what a "spot-chaser" is H&H because for 30 years H&H has been a real help in the house. Try it yourself.

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\$185 Colonial Bedroom Set
Here is an actual \$185 Set that we are offering for \$119—see it, like judge for yourself. Carefully constructed and massively designed in true Colonial Period—each piece handsomely large in size and proportion. Set comprises dresser, bed, chiffonette and triple-mirror dressing table.

\$265 Queen Anne Bedroom Set
By all means see this complete 4-piece set—distinguished by the charming American walnut or Adam brown mahogany. In the popular Queen Anne Period—only \$176. Each piece large proportioned. Set comprises dresser, bed, chiffonette and dressing table. On sale at—

\$175 Colonial Dining-Room Set
Make comparison—go where you will and you will be unable to obtain a complete 5-piece Dining-Room Set for less than \$175 and \$200. Set is richly carved and finished in mahogany, buffet, 6-ft. extension table, and six solid oak, genuine leather-seat chairs. On sale at—

\$110 Splendid Bed-Divan Set
In the face of present high prices, we offer this massive, handsome Bed-Divan Set for only \$79. Extra well constructed and finished in mahogany or solid golden oak. Set comprises divan, which opens into a full-size bed, complete with mattress, armchair and arm rocker. On sale at—

\$35 Lloyd's Fine Baby Carriage
By all means see this handsome, modern design, finely woven Baby Carriage at the very low price of \$29.75. This is the celebrated Lloyd long-woven Carriage—large in size and luxuriously upholstered in corduroy—on sale, special at \$29.75.

\$265 William and Mary Dining-Room Set
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\$150 Blue Enamel Combination RANGE
This Range has four large burners and four-hole cooking surface and a large eighteen-inch baking oven—it is blue porcelain throughout and trimmed with nickel-plated parts—cooks and bakes with either coal or gas.

\$36.00 9x12 Brussels RUG, \$27.00

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Mr. Walter J. Foulds, 1234 Santos St., Los Angeles, Cal., writes: "I can't express how grateful I am for Sulphur Tablets. I have taken four tubes and can say they are the best I have ever taken, and can also say they do more than you recommend them to do, as I have passed a tape worm and am getting better fast. May your good work go on, etc." If you need a tonic laxative, purifier and regulator, ask any good druggist for Sulphur Tablets; 60c per tube.

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Cadomene Tablets Afford Relief to the Shattered Nerves of the Drinker.

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Just think, a 35c box of P. D. Q. (Pesky Devil's Quietener), makes a quart, enough to kill a million bedbugs, roaches, fleas or cockles and stops future generations by killing the eggs and does not injure the clothing.

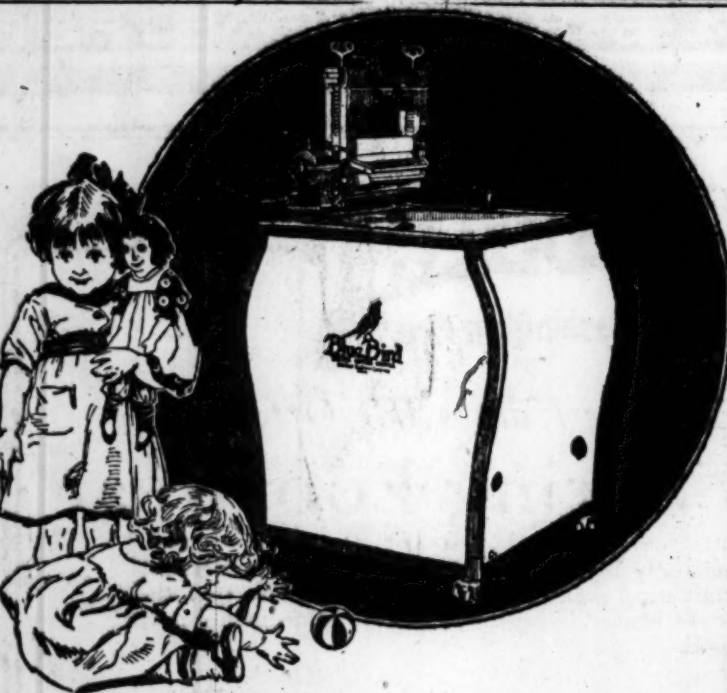
Liquid fire to the bedbugs is what P. D. Q. is like, bedbugs stand as good chance as a snowball in a lusty fanned heat resort. Patent spot free in every package of P. D. Q. is enable you to kill them and their eggs before they hatch.

Look for the devil's head on every box and you'll have your bedbugs and their eggs killed. Special formula of P. D. Q. makes five gallons—contains 3 spots—either use at your druggist or mail order. Mail order request of price by the One Hundred One Tube Box. P. D. Q. is never needed. Sold by Judge & Co., 100 N. 1st St., St. Louis, Mo. and Markers, East St. Louis and other leading druggists.

The Loveliest Curly Hair—So Easy to Have!
Such pretty waves and curls, having all the appearance of "Nature's own"—yes, you can have them, easily, quickly, if you will just apply plain, liquid minnera before doing up your hair. The hair will have such a lively luster and wholesome beauty, and it will be fine and fluffy when combed out.

If you will get a bottle of liquid minnera at any drug store and follow the accompanying directions, you will be almost delighted with the result—which will be in evidence within three hours, and which will last a long time. The hair will be quite manageable, no matter in what fashion it is worn. The liquid, which is perfectly harmless, will be appreciated also as a splendid dressing for the hair.

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HAMS, Smoked Cali. (Closely trimmed, short shank) Per lb. 24c

KRINKLE CORN FLAKES, large pkg. 10c

Delmar Club New Rolled Oats. 20-oz. pkg. 11c

JEFFY JELL, pkg. 12c LUMP STARCH, 3 lbs. 25c

Florida Grape Fruit Large size, 25c Medium size, 2 for 15c

KRAK-R-JAK CRACKERS & CAKES, Fresh Baked

Cheese Sandwich, English Tea, Graham, Marshmallow Bar, Princess

Biscuit, Oatmeal, Vanilla and Delicious Sugar Wafers; regular

27c Packages, Extra Special, 2 Packages for 40c

Delmar Club Corn Syrup (Dark), No. 10 cans. 82c

Defiance Toilet Paper, large 5c Rolls. 6 for 25c

California Mediter. Type Sweet Oranges. doz. 40c

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Ritter Pork & Beans, Tomato Sauce. 2 cans. 25c

Delmar Club Whole Blood Red Beets No. 2 cans. 35c

New York Cheddar Cheese, per lb. 25c

Imperial Jelly, 10-oz. glasses, 2 for 55c

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Family size Snow Boy Wash- ing Powder. 22c

Delmar Club Lemon or Va- nilla Extracts, 1-oz. bottle, 15c

2 1/2-lb. pails Rex Jelly. 28c

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Canadian, per lb. 38c

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White Corn Meal, per lb. 5c

Farina, per package. 12c

Delmar Club Corn Starch, 1-lb. package. 10c

Excelsior Bird Seed, pkg. 18c

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Wizard Carpet Sweeper, pe- carton. 10c and 25

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Spinach, Delmar Club, large No. 3 cans. 2c

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Salmon, Moll's Pride; sink; No. 1 tall cans. 2 for 49c

Gibb's Spaghetti, in tomato sauce and grated cheese, can. 12c

Campbell's Vegetable Soup, can. 12c

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Choice, \$2.95

Having purchased the surplus stock of a large manu- facturer of fine Silk Bags will offer them Friday and Saturday at the above low price. They were made to sell at \$5.00, and are of more silk, fitted with change purses and mirror. Come in black, brown, navy blue and taupe. Large roomy Bags, and good values at \$5.

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Imported Japanese pottery Incense Burners; painted in natural colors. Regular price, 35c. As these novelties are very scarce, we were fortunate in being able to obtain a limited quantity. Incense for burning in above, box, 15c

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BELL TO HAVE CAPITAL OF \$200,000,000

Southwestern Company Author- ized to Complete Merger and Sell \$25,000,000 in Notes.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, April 8.—

The State Public Service Commission today authorized the South- western Bell Telephone Co. to in- crease its capital stock from \$30, 000,000 to \$200,000,000 for the purpose of taking in the Oklahoma and Texas Bell Telephone companies.

Of the authorized capital stock only \$60,000,000 in common stock is to be issued at this time. Half of this will be used to retire the South- western Bell stock and the other half to retire the stocks of the Ok- lahoma and Texas companies.

Permission also was granted for the Southwestern company to issue \$25,000,000 of 7 per cent 5-year se- cured notes to be replaced at the end of the 5-year period by a like amount of preferred stock.

E. D. Nims, president of the Southwestern company, told the Commission that under present mar- ket conditions 7 per cent preferred stock could not be put on the mar- ket at a higher figure than 80 per cent of its par value, whereas se- cured notes could be sold at 95 1/2 per cent.

The Southwestern company now owns the systems in Missouri, Kan- sas and Arkansas. The Southwest- ern and the Texas and Oklahoma sys- tems all are owned by the American Telegraph and Telephone Co. Nims' reason for the consolidation, as given to the commission, is the difficulty in financing huge extensions in Mis- souri, Texas and Oklahoma. At this time, when money is "tight," Nims said bankers look more favorably upon loans to large concerns than to small and divided ones. Nims said the demand for extension of tele- phone service is unprecedented.

He cited the unusual building op- erations in Northwest St. Louis, which alone will require the installa- tion of more new service than an or- dinary town.

The new and rapidly multiplying industries in Oklahoma and Texas he said are just as phenomenal and under present conditions these com- panies are bidding against each other for equipment from the factories. Every cent of the new capital stock, and more he said will be needed to finance the installation of the new business which is clamoring for serv- ice.

U. R. RECEIVER TO ACCEPT 7-CENT FLAT FARE ORDER

Will Ask for Six Months in Which to Supply Trailers Ordered by Commission.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, April 8.—Re- ceiver Wells of the United Railways Co. yesterday announced to the State Public Service Commission that he expected to file an acceptance of the commission's recent order estab- lishing a uniform 7-cent fare, instead of the present, 7, 7 1/2, 7 3/4 and 8 cent fare. The order for this change goes into effect Saturday. He stated, however, that he would ask for a modification of that part of the order which calls for two trailers to be added each week after May 15. He said it was physically impossible to comply with this. He will ask for six months in which to begin sup- plying the trailers.

Insurance of \$4,200,000 of three- year 7 per cent receiver's cer- tificates by the United Railways Co. was ordered by the commission. The application for the order was made by Wells and Charles W. Bates, who said the issue was needed to take up \$1,900,000 of the bonded indebted- ness of the United Railways for the Broadway line, due May 1, and \$2, 300,000 of receiver's certificates due Sept. 2. Wells expressed the opinion that the new certificates would be subjected to a discount before they could be sold.

City Counselor Daves filed a mo- tion for rehearing on the order of the commission reducing street car fares.

MEMPHIS HAS 162,351 POPULATION, 23 PER CENT GAIN

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Popu- lation statistics announced today by the Census Bureau included:

Memphis, Tenn., 162,351; increase 21,244, or 23.5 per cent.

Collinsville, Ill., 87,759; increase 2,275, or 2.6 per cent.

Johnson City, Tenn., 12,442; in- crease 2,940, or 46.8 per cent.

Vallejo, Cal., 16,858; increase 5,513, or 48.6 per cent.

Richmond, Cal., 16,843; increase 10,041, or 147.6 per cent. (Richmond is nine miles north of Oakland, and is a manufacturing and oil refining center.)

Brockton, Mass., 66,133; increase 2,240, or 16.3 per cent over 1910.

Auburn, N. Y., 36,142; increase 1474, or 4.3 per cent.

Marshalltown, Ia., 16,781; increase 2,857, or 17.4 per cent.

BALLOON RACE NEXT OCTOBER

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 8.—The Gordon Bennett balloon trophy race will be held from Indianapolis Oct. 22, the board of managers of the Aero Club of America announced here. France and Italy each have entered their teams, and England and Belgium each one team. The United States will enter three teams from among the 500 licensed balloon pilots of the country.

The trophy is now in the posses- sion of the Aero Club of America. American teams have won four out of eight international contests.

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\$3 and \$4 values— \$1.95
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Note.—This little poem was written by a literary woman of Los Angeles, Calif., as a testimonial to Tablets Arborene. It so aptly and truthfully describes the virtues of this well-known anti-fat that the proprietors use it for advertising. Facts and gratitude are both expressed with ad- mirable rhythm and meter.

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Lighthouse to be Torn Down

By the Associated Press.
PHILADELPHIA, April 8.—Barnegat Light, one of the oldest lighthouses on the Atlantic Coast, which has afforded a great deal of material for fiction writers, is to be torn down.

because its foundation is being undermined by the sea.
The Lighthouse Bureau at Washington has decided it would cost too much to save the structure, and it will be replaced, probably by a lightship and a beacon light at the mouth of Barnegat Bay.

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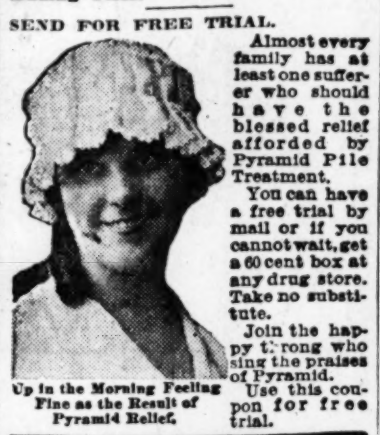
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Mrs. Daniels Suffrage Envoy.
By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, April 8.—Mrs. Joseph Daniels, wife of the Secretary of the Navy, has been appointed by President Wilson as the official delegate to represent American women at the eighth congress of the International Woman Suffrage Alliance in Geneva, Switzerland, in June. It was announced here yesterday. Thirty-one nations will be represented.

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CROKER SAYS WIFE EARNS LARGE SUMS

Deals She Has Swung More Than Cover Money Spent, He Asserts.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., April 8.—Counsel for Mr. and Mrs. Richard Croker completed their case yesterday and are ready to go to trial on the charge that the former boss of Tammany Hall is mentally incompetent and that his wife, owing to this alleged fact, has managed to get much of his property away from him.
The absence of Judge F. B. Donnell of the Circuit Court of Palm Beach County, who granted the temporary injunction while ill at his home, is holding the matter up. He may be able to try the case beginning Monday.
Friends of Croker pointed out today why it was, as appears in the affidavits filed, that before his second marriage he transacted so much of his business through his son, Richard. They said that Mrs. Croker, from whom Croker was separated, always refused to sign papers and that, therefore, her husband could not deal in real property in his own name. The Palm Beach property, which he afterward sold to Otto H. Kahn, he bought in the name of his son and the property upon which The Wigwam, his own home stands, he purchased in the name of his brother-in-law.
Croker said today that he afterward transferred the Wigwam and some adjacent property also held by his brother-in-law to his wife, because he wanted her to have the home in her name. He made the same explanation for the transfer to her of Glencairn, his estate in Ireland.
"I am an old man," said Croker, "and I felt that my wife ought to own the homes in which we live. I have perfect trust in her, with good reason, and I do not see that there is anything strange in my having given her the homes we occupy. I gave her the whole Irish estate—everything there was there. I gave her the horses, because I knew she was fond of them and would take care of them."
"Plenty of intelligent people don't know anything about a horse. We would have friends visit us at Glencairn and they would say, 'Where is Orby?' and I would say, 'He's turned out, he's retired now; and they would say, 'Aren't you going to race him again in the Derby?' and 'Did you ride him that time?' The last time Richard was over there he said Glencairn looked like a barracks and that he didn't see why I should stay there. It can't be that he wanted it."
"A thing which amuses me," he continued, "is the concern my children apparently have about what my wife gets. In the first place, I will say my wife has earned, since we married, in deals that she has swung herself, considerably more than we both have spent since we were married. If my wife was an extravagant woman, forcing herself into society down here by lavish entertaining that was dissipating my fortune, I can see how they might feel like making some complaint; but instead, we have one servant, we live very quietly and happily, and what we have spent she has earned twice over."
"My son Richard cannot complain about my running away and getting married without telling him about it, as one of the papers I read today had it. In the first place, I didn't. In the second place, that's exactly what he did, while I was paying his expenses at Amherst—he ran away and got married and never told me a word about it for more than a year."

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BURGLARY INSURANCE RATES ARE INCREASED 35 PER CENT
Growing Number of Robberies Given as Reason for Higher Costs.
Further Increase Predicted.
Burglary insurance rates in St. Louis, St. Louis County and St. Clair County, Ill., were increased 35 per cent April 1. In the case of renewals the increase will not become effective until June 1. In Belleville, which is in another district, an increase of 25 per cent was announced Tuesday.
The increasing number of robberies is given as the reason for the increase. Some insurance companies have ceased to write burglary protection for that reason, and insurance men predict that rates may go higher. There was a 20 per cent increase here last December. Residence burglary insurance, which cost \$12.50 per \$1000 a year and a half ago, now costs \$22.27.
There is said to have been a 50 per cent increase in Chicago recently in the rates for "interior hold-up" insurance, and it is predicted that there may be such an advance here. On April 2 advances of 25 to 35 per cent went into effect in New York City and vicinity.

MAN, STRUCK BY TRAIN, DIES
Was Hit by Freight at Clemens Avenue—Is Unidentified.
An unidentified man, described as about 25 years of age, and wearing among other things a pair of sailor's trousers and a sailor's sweater, died at the city hospital at 9 o'clock last night from injuries suffered a few hours before when struck by a Wabash railroad freight train at Clemens avenue. A laundry mark "A. T. W." and a book of post cards bought in Cincinnati, are the only clues to his identity.
William Browning, engineer of the train, told the police the man had apparently stepped from the "blind baggage" of a passenger train, westbound and stationary at the Rosedale station, when he stepped on the rails directly in the path of the freight.

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Misses', \$3.25
11 1/4 to 2, \$4.00
Big Girls', \$4.00
2 1/2 to 7

"Mary Jane Pumps"

For Misses and Children
Choice of patent leather or black kid.
Child's, \$2.65
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Misses', \$3.25
11 1/4 to 2, \$3.50
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Choice of English or Round toes.
\$4.50 TAN MAHOGANY, sizes 1 to 5 1/2, \$4.00
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EVENING SCHOOLS EXERCISES

Graduates in Foreigners' Civic Classes to Get Diplomas. Graduating exercises of the evening schools for the civic education of foreigners will be held tonight at Central High School. Graduates of Central, Cleveland, McKinley, Spaulding, Teatman, Franklin and Pestalozzi schools will be given diplomas. M. R. Bevington, Chief Naturalization Examiner, Superintendent of Schools Withers and T. E. Spencer, Supervisor of Educational Extension, will speak. There will be a musical program, in which Miss Hazel Nahlik, Miss Florence Teachmeyer, Miss Madge Mayer and members of the Euterpean Choral Club will participate. National anthems will be sung by the audience, and "The American's Creed" will be repeated by the graduates.

DEFEAT OF UNIVERSAL TRAINING IS CONCEDED

Proponents Plan to Substitute Provision for Voluntary Training of Youths.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, April 8.—Defeat of the compulsory universal military training provision of the army reorganization bill was conceded today by Senate proponents of the plan. To stave off a vote on the issue, they planned to substitute a program for voluntary training of four months for all youths 19 or more years old. When consideration of the army bill was resumed today, Chairman Wadsworth of the military committee admitted that the opponents of compulsory training were in the majority. It was understood that a canvass of the Senate showed 14 or more Republicans and about 40 Democrats in opposition. It was said that opponents might not fight the voluntary plan, which was to be offered as a substitute for the pending motion of Senator McKellar, Democrat, Tennessee, to eliminate the bill's training provisions.

MAN INJURED IN AUTO WRECK ON FREE BRIDGE SUNDAY, DIES

Fred W. Hoffman Jr. Was Thrown to Pavement When Car Skidded Against Walling. Fred W. Hoffman Jr., 25 years old, a machinist of 4234 North Twentieth street, died yesterday at St. Mary's Hospital, East St. Louis, from injuries suffered when an automobile in which he was riding was wrecked at the east end of the Free Bridge last Sunday. The car, which was being driven by Anton L. Fuchs of 1444 John avenue, in avoiding a collision with another car skidded and struck the railing of the bridge, throwing Hoffman to the pavement. Fuchs and two others, William Wessel of 4308 North Broadway, and Charles J. Hoffman of 5235 Bulwer avenue, a brother of Fred, were slightly injured. Hoffman had returned the day before, after an absence of two and one-half years, during which time he had worked in shipyards in the East. He is survived by a widow and one child. At an inquest held yesterday afternoon a verdict of accidental death was returned.

WRIT AGAINST HOSPITAL IS DENIED TO FRED VAN BLARCOM

Alexian Brothers' Physicians Testify Son of Lato Banker Is Not in Condition to Be at Large. Circuit Judge Davis today refused a writ of habeas corpus for the release of Fred Van Blarcom, son of the late J. C. Van Blarcom, who was president of the National Bank of Commerce, from Alexian Brothers' Hospital, 2333 South Broadway, where he is confined on orders from Robert Moloney, an attorney representing Mrs. Mary Van Blarcom, his mother. Sundry proceedings against Van Blarcom are pending in the Probate Court. Van Blarcom was removed from the Westgate Hotel, Delmar boulevard and King's highway, after he made threats against his mother, the attorney said. Physicians at the hospital testified that Van Blarcom was not in condition to be at large.

LACLEDE GAS ASSESSMENT IS INCREASED BY \$1,000,000

Figure Agreed on in Conference—Company's Taxes Will Total \$403,313. The personal property assessment of the Laclede Gas Light Co. was increased today from \$2,122,530 to \$3,122,530, upon agreement, after a conference between the City Assessor and W. W. Whitton, vice president of the company. The Assessor had threatened to increase the assessment to \$5,000,000, stating that the company's equipment had increased greatly in value. Whitton said that the company earned only 1.32 per cent on stock last year. The company, under the new assessment, will pay a total franchise, real estate and personal property tax to the city of \$403,313.25.

FOUR DAYS FOR BEING DRUNK

After four days in the workhouse, if Emil Johnson, 42 years old, of Shawneetown, Ill., remembers where he got the liquor that put him there he is to report to Judge Mix in Police Court. Johnson was arrested at 5 p. m. yesterday at Ninth street and Clark avenue. He was drunk then and was still drunk in court this morning. He got it after he met a stranger at Union Station, he said. Where they went he did not remember. "Try to remember during the next four days," Judge Mix said. "Let me know if you do."

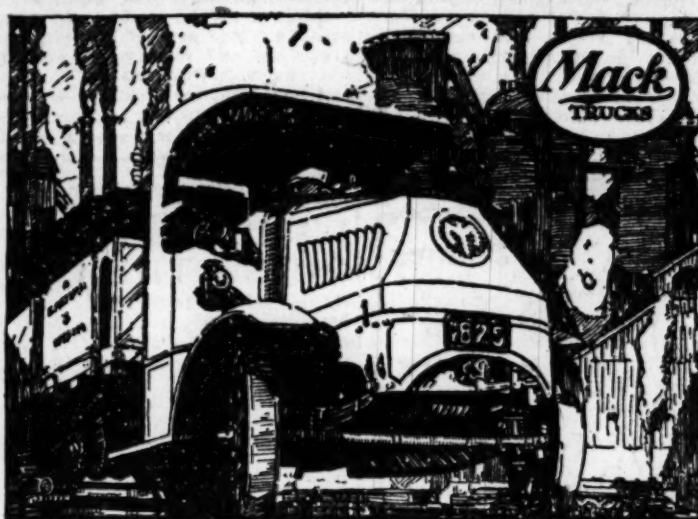
ASKS POLICE TO FIND WALLET

Mrs. Myrtle Richter of 1201 North Vandeventer avenue has asked the police to investigate the disappearance of a wallet containing \$100 from beneath a pillow on a bed where her husband, Nimrod R. Richter, was stricken suddenly and died last Friday. She discovered the wallet had been taken, she said, after the body had been removed from the home. At the time her husband was stricken, she said, she left the home to telephone to a doctor, leaving the home in charge of a neighbor.

Rehearing in Bridge Case Denied. Special to the Post-Dispatch. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 8.—The Supreme Court today denied a re-

hearing to the City of St. Louis in the free bridge tax case brought by Treasurer Little of Madison County. The former verdict will stand.

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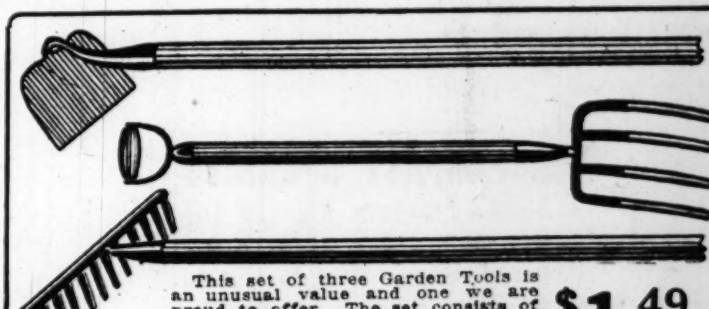
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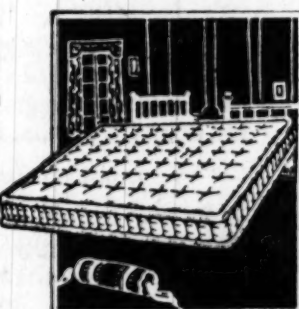
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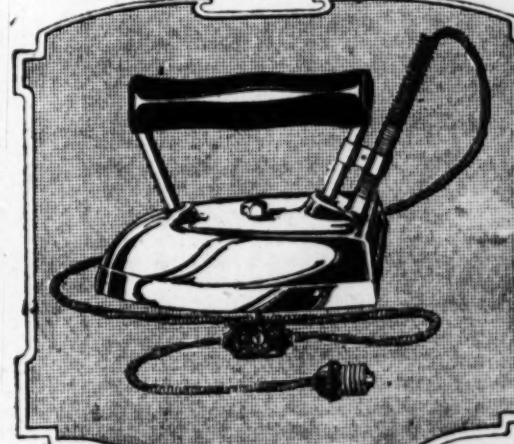
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By RICHARD L. STOKES.
JUSEPPE VERDI'S "La Forza del Destino" ("The Power of Destiny"), which first saw the light at Petrograd on Nov. 11, 1862, more than 57 years ago, attained its belated St. Louis premiere last night at the Odeon, thanks to the San Carlo Opera Company. The house was packed, boxes, parquet and gallery, and the public's reaction in a "new" word found expression in a furor surpassing that which attended Antonio Scotti's presentation of Leon's "L'Oracolo," last season, at the same auditorium.

This eager response to fresh operatic fare is very enlightening, in view of Impresario Gallo's frequently vociferated theory that he can evade a deficit in St. Louis only by offering the staid variety in his company's repertory. A presentable attendance for "Rigoletto" on Monday night was mustered by dint of a desperate distribution of passes; it is said that the receipts were little more than \$1000. A still smaller attendance was the fate of Puccini's "Butterfly," on Tuesday night, and only a handful of persons was present at the "pauze" matinee yesterday. The lack for the remainder of the week is quite as hackneyed—"La Boheme" tonight, "Cavalleria Rusticana" and "I Pagliacci" tomorrow night, "Tales of Hoffman" Saturday afternoon, and "Il Trovatore" Saturday night.

The cast for "La Forza del Destino" was as follows: Marquis of Calatrava, Natale Cervi; Donna Leonora, Bula Ray Shull, a young soprano heard for the first time here in this performance; Don Carlo di Vargas, Vincente Ballester; Don Alvaro, Manuel Salazar; Preziosilla, Stella de Mette; Padre Guardiano, Pietro di Biasi; Fra Melitone, Natale Cervi; Curra, Alice Homer, and Mastro Trabuco, Luciano Rossini.

Narrative of the Opera.
The story, adapted from a Spanish drama by the Duke of Rivas, is in brief this: Donna Leonora, daughter of the Marquis of Calatrava, residing in Seville, is about to elope with Don Alvaro, a noble Indian youth, when the lovers are intercepted by her father, Alvaro, menaced by the sword of the aged Marquis, surrenders to him. He is then, however, discharged, killing the old man. His son, Don Carlo, swears to avenge the death by murdering both his sister and Alvaro.

Leonora, in terror of her brother, flees to the convent of the Madonna degli Angeli, in male attire. The kindly abbot, Padre Guardiano, supplies her with the dress of a nun, and bestows upon her, for a reward, a nice cave in the neighborhood. There she lives for five years. In the meanwhile Alvaro and Carlo, who have never met, take assumed names and perform, even after a ruthless slaying of the score. In the third act alone some 90 pages, including scenes, duets, arias and choruses, fell before one snip of the shears, and the slaughter was continued in the fourth act. The result, however, was happy; the endurance of the audience escaped the test of a midnight dismissal, and the involved plot was reduced to simple and workable dimensions.

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che in seno agli angeli") Salazar, the great Salazar himself, skipped and flurried over enough notes to furnish flurried another aria of the same dimensions. He chose, properly enough from the point of view of the action, to sing the duet, "Sollene in questo ore," while reclining on a stretcher as a wounded soldier. The posture was not altogether felicitous for breathing and intonation.

Yet such lapses were, with regard to his entire performance, more than recompensed by a prodigality of magnificent moments. The romance itself—a lyric episode not altogether in the tenor's métier—was sung, despite careless execution, with rare tenderness and beauty of voice. In the famous duet named in the preceding paragraph, one of the most inspired numbers Verdi ever wrote, Salazar was artist enough to remember that he was supposed to be mortally wounded, and veiled his voice accordingly. Caruso, at his age, would have forgotten everything but the opportunity to lavish the flood of his voice. Yet the audience was so determined, though in vain, to hear the duet again, that Ballester, proceeding with his recitative, was drowned out for some minutes by the applause.

This duet is probably the best known selection in the opera, but there proved to be an even more exciting one in the fourth act, also for Salazar and Ballester. ("Cal sangue in quel Don Carlo goads the monk Rafaelito to battle. Salazar's first reluctance, his rising anger under his enemy's taunts, and finally his blinding outburst of fury, constituted a memorable climax. By means of the stormiest applause of the evening, the hearers forced a repetition of the last page of the duet.

Second Honors to Ballester.
For his part, Ballester proved amply able to stand on his merits without the support of intrigues. He is still in the 20's, and is not yet an accomplished actor; it seems probable that his voice is not big enough for the requirements of a first-rate baritone.

Alvaro, recovering from his wound, takes the tonsure and is admitted to the convent of the Madonna degli Angeli, under the name of Fra Rafaelito. His implacable foe hunts him down and taunts the monk until he is goaded into fighting a duel. It takes place near Leonora's grotto, neither of the men being aware of her hiding place. Don Carlo is mortally wounded, but has strength enough, when his sister rushes to his aid, to fulfill his vow and stab her to death.

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legato, with the added notation, "Con eleganza." It is a pleasure to state that third rank in the production went to Natale Cervi, the faithful basso who has taken thankless tasks with the company in this city for many years, and has never obtained adequate recognition. The part of Fra Melitone, a choleric and fussy brother of the convent, was the best he has ever had here, and his capital buffoonery, forming a bright and merry relief from the general gloom, proved that the long-sustained note opening the aria, "Pace, pace, mio Dio," sounded for all the world like a trill. Miss Shull seemed at home on the stage, sang with considerable feeling and was comely to look upon.

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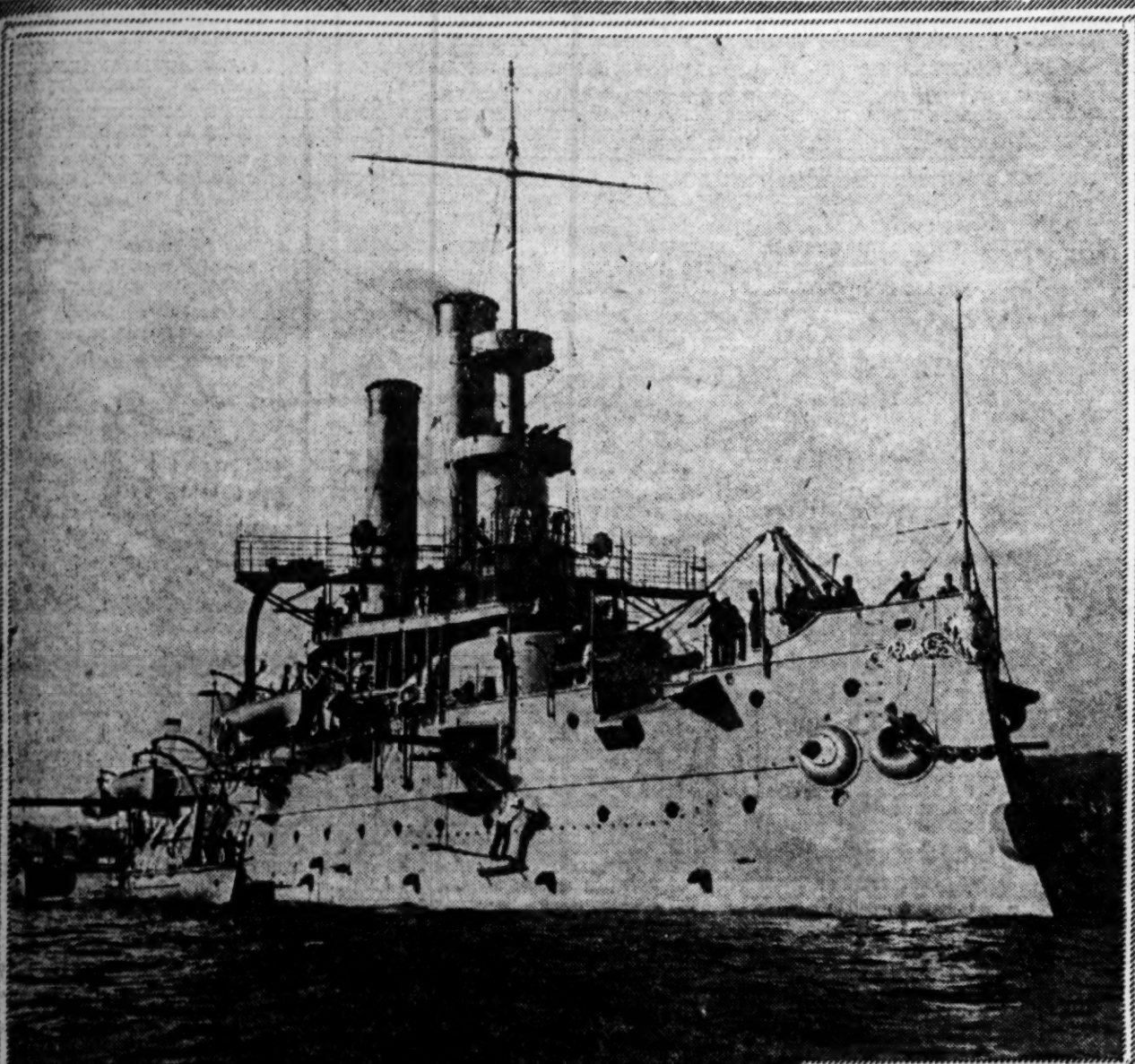
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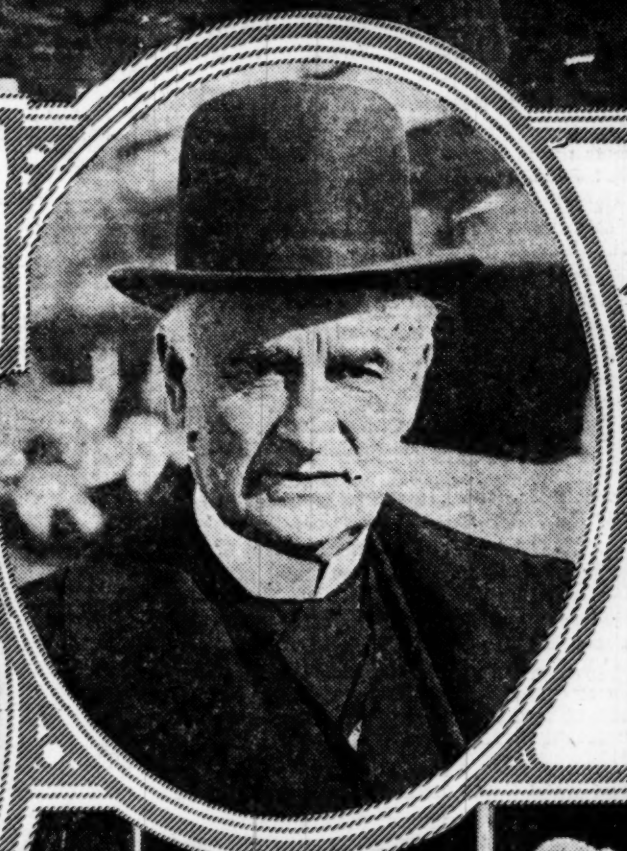
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Burke's Team Hammers Haines for Three Runs in Opening Round—Only a Small Crowd Out for Fourth Clash.

CARDINAL FIELD, April 8.—Branch Rickey, in an effort to tie the count in the spring series, selected Jess Haines, who held the Browns to three hits in the opening game last Saturday, to hurl the fourth contest this afternoon.

Dr. John Lavan again appeared at short, Harold Janvrin still nursing a lame arm as a result of being hit by a fast one in Tuesday's game. Jimmy Burke selected Gallia to oppose Rickey's right hander. It was chilly and visibility was poor when the teams started the battle, but the field was in excellent condition.

The crowd was the smallest of the series, to date, fewer than 1000 persons being on hand at game time. The catchers were Severid and Dillhoefer. The umpires were Moran and Owens.

FIRST INNING.
BROWNS—Austin singled to center. Gedeon sacrificed, Fournier to Horneby, who covered. Tobin lined a home run into the right field seats.

Horneby filed to Jacobson, who started to rain. Sliser singled to center. Williams filed to Shotton. Jacobson singled to right, sending Sliser to third. Severid singled to right, scoring Sliser. Horneby filed to Jacobson. THREE RUNS.

CARDINALS—Shotton filed to Jacobson. Smith singled to left, scoring Sliser. Sliser singled to right, sending Sliser to third. Horneby filed to Jacobson. Smith scored after the catch. Fournier out, Sliser to Gallia, who covered. One RUN.

SECOND INNING.
BROWNS—May went to the hill for the Cardinals. Gedeon singled to left. Fournier, Austin singled to left. Gedeon hit by a pitched ball. Tobin forced Gedeon, Horneby to Lavan, Austin going to third. Sliser out, May to Fournier. NO RUNS.

CARDINALS—McHenry called out on strikes. Lavan dropped a Texas leaguer in left. Dillhoefer singled over second. Silcott batted for May. Lavan was out at third on an attempted double steal. Severid to Austin. Dillhoefer called out. Sliser walked on the next pitched ball. Shotton also walked, filling the bases. Smith forced Shotton. Gerber unassisted. NO RUNS.

THIRD INNING.
BROWNS—Turo went to the hill for the Cardinals. Umpire Moran cautioned players in the Browns' dugout for their remarks about Turo. For several innings the two dugouts have been exchanging anecdotal compliments. Williams singled to right. Jacobson walked. Severid fouled to Dillhoefer, attempting to sacrifice. Gerber filed to Shotton. Gallia called out on strikes. NO RUNS.

CARDINALS—Stock lined to Gedeon. Horneby filed to Jacobson. Fournier out, Gallia to Sliser. NO RUNS.

FOURTH INNING.
BROWNS—Austin out, Horneby to Fournier. Gedeon singled to center. Tobin singled to right, Gedeon going to second. Sliser out, Turo to Fournier. Williams walked, filling the bases. Jacobson tripled to left center, scoring Gedeon, Tobin and Williams. Severid fouled to Stock. THREE RUNS.

George Sliser's exhibition of mid-season baseball and some sequential hitting by the Browns were the only bright spots in yesterday's third game of the spring series, which was captured by the Burkmens, 13 to 10.

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Lack of Passport Holds Up Barnes' Foreign Invasion

Sunset Hill Professional Back From Winter Sojourn, Hopes to Go Abroad.

Tiger Track Men for Olympic Team

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Orange Crush Scratch Team.

Last Night's Fights

Golf Ball Frightens Family From Cabin

Central Nine Stops Principia in Third

Spring Series Facts

Standing of the Clubs.

Results of Games.

First Game—Cardinals 4-1.

Second Game—Browns 4-1.

Third Game—Browns 13-10.

Fourth Game—Browns 13-10.

Fifth Game—Browns 13-10.

Sixth Game—Browns 13-10.

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Ninth Game—Browns 13-10.

Tenth Game—Browns 13-10.

Eleventh Game—Browns 13-10.

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Easterners Declare Wilde Is Dodging Dangerous Boxers

Nationally Known Good Mound Corps and Veteran Outfield Principal Pirate Assets

Gibson's Charges Regarded as N. L. "Dark Horse" in Some Quarters—Manager's Chief Worry Will Be Getting Walter Schmidt Into Line.

No. 14—PITTSBURG NATIONALS.

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HILE in some sections, the Pittsburgh Pirates, with a new manager—George Gibson, formerly star catcher for the aggregation—

in charge, are regarded as the potential "dark horse" of the coming National League pennant struggle, "dope" seems to show that Gibson

will have quite a task.

The main assets of the club that will face the Cardinals in the first game of the season here April 14 can be summed up as follows:

PITCHING—Good.

CATCHERS—Fair, because of the absence of Walter Schmidt, the club's regular for the last two years.

INFIELD—Fair; Cutchaw at second is only star.

OUTFIELD—Good.

From all indications, Gibson's chief worry will be getting Schmidt into line. The catcher seems to be a confirmed holdout and unless he signs before the opening clash, Gibson will be "up against it."

Schmidt has laid down terms to Gibson, saying that unless he signs at the club's figures he can "stay out in the cold."

Ranked Fifth in 1919.

In 1919, Schmidt ranked fifth among the N. L. receivers with a fielding percentage of .932. He caught 85 games. Earl Killebrew, the Bruins was the only receiver to work offener.

Without Schmidt, the receiving staff will be made up of Billy Lee, who was with the team in 1919; Nig, a veteran performer, and youngsters named Hoeffner and Conkey.

The pitching staff owned by the new Pirate manager seems O. K. Southpaw Wilbur Cooper will be Gibson's chief ace. Next in line is veteran "Babe" Adams, who in 1919 ranked fifth in efficiency in the N. L., yielding an average of 1.98 earned runs a battle. He won 17 and lost 10 games. Carlson, Ponder and Hamilton are the other regulars.

Wiener, a six-foot right-hander, who stopped the Cardinals in the final clash of the 1919 season, and Herbst, a right-hander obtained

from Hartford, and who

MORE TRUTH THAN POETRY

By James J. Montague.



EVERYBODY'S DOING IT.
Little Cattie Crumplett
Is toiling on a tale,
Her parents say is bound some day
To have a splendid sale.
It's all about a lady
Who loved a gentleman,
And she can spell almost as well
As Daisy Ashford can.

Little Doris Duckett
Is working on a play.
It's not high art, but, bless your heart,
She's only eight today.
Her doting parents tell us
That though she's just a kid
The gifted mite knows how to write
Like Daisy Ashford did.

Little Mollie Markle
Won't romp or lark or run.
Like children should whose health is good.
Until her book is done.
It simply is astounding.
The talent she's displayed,
Her style and wit will make a hit
Like Daisy Ashford's made.

Oh, little Daisy Ashford;
Your style had grace and charm,
But just the same your sudden fame
Has done a world of harm!
A million other children
Since Barrie boosted you,
Have left their play, and toll away
At novel writing, too!



WE ARE LEARNING.
Pullman fares are going up, proving
that at least the Government can
control the berth-rate.

not to let whisky outstrip it in price.

NATURAL JEALOUSY.
Gasoline is apparently determined

BIG WAITING LIST.
Now that we have a Secretary of
State, the Government can begin
issuing passports to Reds once more.
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Still Opera Seats Are \$7.75.

In a letter from Mexico City,
Larusso describes a performance of
"Carmen" in a roofless arena dur-
ing a heavy rainstorm. The specta-
tors had umbrellas. Says the great
senior, naively, "We were all soaked
but the public."
Well, turn about's fair play, you
know, old top.—Philadelphia Led-
ger.

What It Means.

Willis Jr.: I'm a self-made man.
Made my money by hard work. Do
you know what that means?
Willis Jr.: Sure. It means you
were not clever enough to graft it,
lucky enough to have it left to you,
or handsome enough to marry it.
Town Topics.
pop!!

Quandary.

"What are you going to do with all
that homemade creme de jazz you
worked out with sugar and cornmeal
and so forth?"
"That's the question!" said Uncle
Bill Bottletop. "What are we going
to do with it? We can't drink it and
it's too expensive to be thrown
away."—Washington Star.

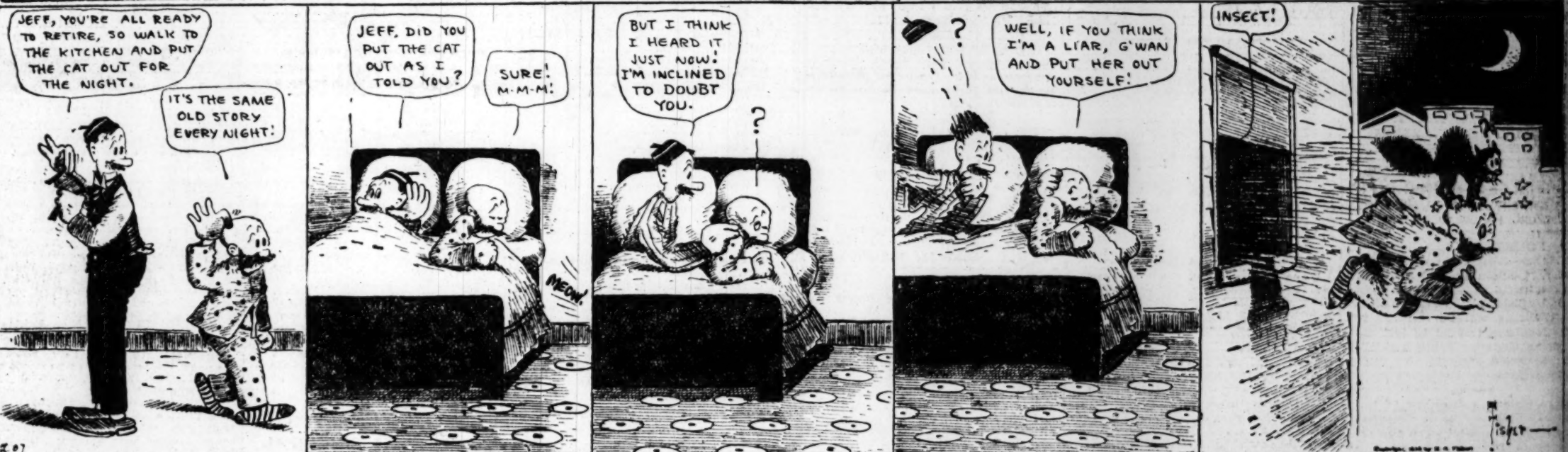
The Faithful Ouija



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